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TWELVE O'CLOCK M.

NEWS BY CABLE.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, April 22.—The papers of to-day comment very freely on the present state of affairs in Cuba. The *Telegraph*, a ministerial organ, moderate in tone, says that in regard to the independence of Cuba, England is unbiased; but at the same time admits that England's interest can be best subserved by Spain retaining her authority in the Island. The article does not say, however, that in any case it should be the business of England to interfere, and England to prevent Cuban independence, but it maintains that the good offices of England might prove useful to avert a quarrel between Spain and America. It designates the seizure of the ship Mary Lowell as a mad act, implicating England, Spain's best friend, unless the latter country offers reparation for the insult. The article then goes on to argue that the Cubans can never willingly attach themselves to the United States.

The *Owl* of this evening also has its say on Cuban matters. It argues that England and France would declare war if America attempts to wrest the island from Spain. President Grant, says the *Owl*, longs for a foreign war, knowing, as he does, that the feeling at present pervading American officials is an intense hatred to England, and, though in a less degree, to France. It is stated that in a day or two a yact will be dispatched from here to Cuba on a mission from the Government, to ascertain the exact position of affairs there. The belief is that a heavy storn is brewing, which may yet occasion much trouble.

LONDON, April 22.—The projected loan to the Spanish Government, of 8,000,000 pounds sterling, was introduced to-day in the London market by J. S. Morgan, and is a great success.

The Oxford Boat Crew have accepted the American challenge for a four oared race in August next.

The bullion in the Bank of England has increased 61,000 pounds sterling since last week.

SPAIN.

MADRID, April 22.—The article of the Constitution guaranteeing universal suffrage has been carried in the Cortes almost unanimously, only fourteen of the Deputies dissenting.

FRANCE.

PARIS, April 22.—The bullion in the Bank of France has increased 7,400,000 francs since last week.

MARINE NEWS.

QUEENSTOWN, April 22.—The national line steamship, the Queen, arrived this evening from New York.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, April 22.—Consols for money 93⅛; account 93¼; Five-twenties 80¼. Stocks steady; Erie 22¾; Illinois 98¾; Atlantic & Great Western 26½. Sugar dull at 39 on spot. Petroleum quiet at 1s 9¾d.

ANTWERP, April 22.—Petroleum quiet at 53¼f.

HAVRE, April 22.—Cotton on spot at 145f.

FRANKFORT, April 22.—Bonds 87⅛@87⅜.

PARIS, April 32.—Bourse steady. Rentes 51f 10c.

LIVERPOOL, April 22.—Cotton dull; middling uplands at 12d; Orleans 12½d; sales of 7,000 bales. California white wheat at 9s 10d; red western at 18s 6d. Western flour at 21s 6d. Corn 27s 6d. New oats at 3s 5d. Barley 5s. Peas 69s. Pork 105. Beef 90s. Lard 71s. Cheese 81s. Bacon 62. Common rosin 5s; fine 16s. Spirits petroleum 9d; refined 1s 9½d. Tallow 45s 6d. Turpentine 29s 6d. Linseed oil 31s.

HAVRE, April 22.—Cotton closed flat; Tres ordinaire, on spot 145f; low middlings afloat 142½f.

CHICAGO.

Cuban Meeting—Madame Cora James.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO, April 22.—A Cuban meeting was held at the Tremont House this evening. Only a few persons were present. A Committee, consisting of John Wentworth, Philip Hayne and E. G. Asay, was appointed to make arrangements for a grand mass meeting in favor of Cuban independence, to take place, say a week hence.

The notorious Samantha Proctor, *alias* Madame Cora James, was tried to-day in the Court of Sessions for sending obsence and threatening letters to Mr. Ira Y. Munn, and sentenced to sixty days imprisonment in the county jail and to pay a fine of $100.

Appointments to San Francisco Mint.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 21.—A special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce is called to consider the propriety of a memorial to the President, against the removal of the officers of the Branch Mint at this city. Already the mere apprehension of the closing of the establishment has led to the recall of loans, and depressed business on 'change. It cannot be possible the Senate will confirm the nominations, thus disregarding the universal protest of the business community of this city.

The confirmation of the mint officers by the Senate causes great indignation among the business men of this city, who had protested with one voice against the removal of the present incumbents, on several grounds.

Eleven Persons Drowned.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

GRANBY, Canada, April 22.—While a number of persons were congregated on the principle bridge at this place last evening, watching the flood, one end gave way, precipitating eleven persons into the water. The river being very swift and the water unusually high, no assistance could be rendered to the victims of the disaster and the whole number were quickly carried out of sight and drowned.

RAILWAY MATTERS.

Arrangement Between the Erie and Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Companies—Ohio and Mississippi and Baltimore and Ohio—The Pacific Railroads—Arrival of Passengers from Chicago at San Francisco in Seven and a Half Days.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

CINCINNATI, April 22.—Representatives of the Erie road conferred with the President and Directors of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton road to-day. A basis for the use of the latter road by the Erie was agreed upon, and now awaits ratification by the directors of the respective roads.

Rumors have respectable credence here, that the Ohio and Mississippi road will make through passenger and freight arrangements from Cincinnati to St. Louis with the Baltimore and Ohio road, on account of the Pennsylvania Central having secured the control of the Indianapolis and Cincinnati road.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 22.—The new Board of Commissioners appointed to examine the Central Pacific Railroad have returned. They report the road finished to Monument Point, leaving a gap of sixty-five miles between the two roads—eight hours staging. It is expected the last rail will be laid this week. The entire road will be opened for general business on May 10th. The company intends to lay ten miles of track to-day, thus surpassing any previous day's work of track laying. The Central Company have purchased the track of the Union Pacific west of Ogden. Travellers report the road lately made by the Union Pacific and Central excellent. Passengers arrived here last evening, seven and a half days from Chicago, six and a half days actual traveling time.

Union Pacific Railroad—Stockholders' Meeting.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

BOSTON, April 22.—At a meeting of the stockohlders of the Union Pacific Railroad resolutions were adopted establishing, in conformity with the act of Congress, its general office in Boston, approving the sale of its first mortgage and land grant bonds, and authorizing the procurement of a new seal for the company's use.

Hon. James Brooks, as one of the Government directors, made a speech showing in some detail the operations since the commencement of the railroad to its present substantial completion, and saying that the work, and its excellence, too, considering the obstacles which it has surmounted, is the most wonderful of civilization, and despite a few unjust attacks at home, it challenges the admiration of mankind.

Oliver Ames then read the following telegram:

COUNCIL BLUFFS, April 21.—To Oliver Ames, President Union Pacific Railroad: Central Pacific Railroad eighteen miles from Promontory Summit. We are twelve miles from Summit.

G. M. DODGE,
Chief Eng. U. P. R. R.

R. G. Hazard, of Rhode Island, made a speech, explanatory of the aims and operations of the Credit Mobilier. Its origin was the impossibility of getting money enough by the sale of stock at par, as provided in the charter, and its business was to furnish capital and take the risk of success or failure. The price paid to the Credit Mobilier did not more than compensate for the use of its capital. When its sole interest in the building of the road was offered at sixty dollars for one hundred dollars cash actually paid in, and without finding buyers, those who took stocks that were thus deemed extraordinary risks of failure, upon commercial principles were entitled to the extra profit as the result of success. It proved, however, that though the chances have turned out most signally in their favor, they got only about ten or fifteen per cent. profit on the amount of business done, and had unhesitatingly declined to engage in other similar and quite as promising enterprises.

J. M. C. Williams, in some remarks, alluded to the action of Jas. Fisk, Jr., and Judge Barnard, in New York, saying the Company did not object to a legal examination of their affairs before a proper tribunal. He also said it was expected the gross earnings for May would be sufficient to pay the July coupons on bonds, and that it was the intention of the Company to continue the road a first class one in all respects.

The meeting then adjourned till to-morrow.

NEW YORK CITY.

National Board of Underwriters—Mails Detained—Illness of Admiral Farragut.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW YORK, April 22, 1869.

In the National Board of Underwriters to-day the following officers for the ensuing year were reported by the Committeee on Nominations: President, James M. M'Lean; Vice President, L. J. Herdie; Treasurer, J. S. Parish; Secretary, W. Conner, Jr. After a long debate on the subject of commissions, a resolution was adopted, as the sense of the meeting, that ten per cent. commissions on gross premiums be allowed to agents and five per cent. to brokers, with no rebate whatever, and that the Executive Committee be authorized to see if this reduction cannot be made the rule of all companies composing the Board. A resolution providing for the appointment of an executive manager and an advisory board of nine members, was adopted. A resolution was adopted that no company be allowed to take risks under the tariff rate. The Chicago compact, with penalties attached, was adopted. Adjourned till Friday.

The mails west, by way of Albany and Buffalo, will be detained a day of two on account of the freshets. There is no detention on the Erie Road and the western mails are all up.

Admiral Farragut has, for two weeks past, been seriously ill, suffering from acute neuralgia of the optic nerves. He was much better last night, and his family, basing their hopes upon the Admiral's great recuperative nature, expressed the belief that in a few days he would be convalescent.

Enforcing the Fourteenth Amendment.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

RICHMOND, April 22.—General Canby issued an order to-day requiring all persons holding office in Virginia, who were elected to the same, and who have not taken the test oath, to take it now. This will vacate a number of offices.

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK A. M.

THE CAPITAL.

Senate Proceedings—Mr. Nye Replies to Mr. Sprague—General Burnside Vindicated—Mr. Abbott, of North Carolina, Wants Satisfaction from Mr. Sprague, and Threatens to Take it Outside the Senate Chamber—Illness of Senator Morton—Nominations Passed Upon—Proposals for the Sale of Gold by the Government.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, April 22, 1869.

SENATE SESSION.

Mr. Nye obtained the floor to make a personal explanation and sarcastically replied to Mr. Sprague's allusion to him, in the Senate, as a charlatan, and, at the serenade, as a harlequin. Mr. Nye also, at considerable length, defended the Senate, the profession of the law, and reputation of General Burnside and the Rhode Island soldiers. He criticised and ridiculed the assertions of the Senator from Rhode Island, in view of the virtue and prosperity of the country, and spoke altogether nearly one hour.

Mr. Chandler then, as a former member of the Committee on the Conduct of the War, briefly eulogized the bravery and skill of Gen. Burnside.

Mr. Abbott followed in a similar strain at some length.

Mr. Morton also spoke warmly in favor of Gen. Burnside, and commended especially his brave assumption of responsibility for the Fredericksburg disaster.

Mr. Sprague here took the floor and proceeded to read from manuscript a speech, reiterating his former charges against monopolists and their defenders, in the Senate, referring with special bitterness to the presiding officer. He also compared the attacks of Mr. Nye on him to the barking of a puppy dog, encouraged by the presence of a mastiff. In vindication of the soundness of his views, he read complimentary letters addressed to him by the National Board of Trade and many other individuals throughout the country.

At the conclusion of Mr. Sprague's speech the Secretary read some remarks of Mr. Brownlow in vindication of Gen. Burnside.

Mr. Cameron spoke briefly to the same purport.

At two o'clock the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business.

At 11:20 p. m. the doors were opened.

Mr. Abbott sent up to be read words uttered to-day by Mr. Sprague, telling a story about a puppy and a mastiff, and said his intention was to ask the Senator from Rhode Island if he intended to apply the term puppy to him. If he did, than he (Mr. Abbott) intended to ask for a retraction as full as the implication, and if that was refused his intention was to ask for satisfaction out of this Chamber. He gave notice, inasmuch as the Senator had skulked out of the chamber, that he intended to have satisfaction out of the Chamber.

Mr. Sumner rose to a point of order and stated that the Senator had avowed his determination to violate the law of the land.

Mr. Abbott denied making any such announcement.

Mr. Sumner insisted that he had violated the rules of the Senate and called on the Chair to take notice of it.

At Mr. Thurman's instance Mr. Abbott's words were read by the reporter, and the President *pro tem* decided they were not necessarily a declaration of intention to violate the law of the land.

Mr. Thurman submitted the required explanation at the hands of the Senator from North Carolina.

Mr. Abbott stated he was not a duelist; he was not educated as a duelist, and did not mean that sort of thing; but he meant to say that the Senator must make a retraction as broad as the assertion. [Cries of "order."]

Mr. Nye (*sotto voce*)—Spank him.

Mr. Wilson moved to go into Executive session.

Mr. Abbott continued, and said that he should have satisfaction outside of the chamber.

The President put the question and the Senate went into Executive session.

NOMINATIONS CONSIDERED.

The Senate was a long time in executive session this afternoon, debating the nomination of Henry S. Sanford to be Minister to Spain, and finally laid it upon the table by vote of yeas 30, nays 20.

The Senate also rejected the nomination of Jas. P. Jones, of Illinois, as Minister to Belgium, and E. W. Roberts, as Register of Land Office at Marysville, California.

The Senate confirmed the following nominations:

S. A. Hurlburt, of Illinois, Minister resident in Bogota; Silas A. Hudson, of Iowa, Minister resident in Guatemala.

Consuls: C. J. True, of Kentucky, at St. Thomas; Wm. Thompson, of District of Columbia, at Southampton.

W. H. Wadsworth, of Kentucky, to be Commissioner under the Convention with Mexico of July 4, 1868.

Julian Neville, Pension Agent at New Orleans.

Thos. Lynne and Henry J. Sampson, Assistant Appraisers, and Thos. Ong, Local Appraiser of Merchandise at New Orleans.

N. W. Blake, of Montana, United States Attorney at Montana; H. Pike, United States Attorney for Western District of Missouri.

All the Indian Agents, mainly Quakers, were confirmed.

Friend Zacharias McNane, Agent for Sioux and Foxes, and Friend Isaac M. Tyson, to the Winnebago Agency, were rejected.

Jno. S. Carlisle was confirmed as Minister to Stockolm without a division; Wm. A. Pile was rejected as Minister to Brazil by 25 to 21.

NOMINATIONS SENT IN.

The following nominations were sent in to-day:

To be District Attorneys: Henry M. Blake, for Montana; B. Pike, for Western District of Missouri.

Postmasters—Robt. A. South, Honesdale, Pa.

ILLNESS OF SENATOR MORTON.

Exaggerated reports are in circulation about the health of Senator Morton, of Indiana, but his friends say there is nothing alarming in his condition. In the heat of the Senate Chamber to-night, the doors and windows being closed during the Executive Session, he came near fainting, and was therefore obliged to leave the Senate to inhale fresh air, and then return to his lodgings.

PROPOSALS FOR GOLD.

The Secretary of the Treasury will receive sealed proposals for the purchase of gold, until noon of Thursday next, in sums of not less that $5,000. Payment may be made either in United States' notes or three per-cent. certificates. The successful bidder will be required to deposit five per cent. of the amount of the purchase on the day of the sale. Like proposals will be received every Thursday, until otherwise ordered.

DYER COURT MARTIAL.

The Dyer court martial examined Ex-Secretary Stanton at his residence to-day, that gentleman being still sick. He said he selected Gen. Dyer as Chief of the Ordnance Bureau because of his eminent fitness for the office.

DEATH OF A NAVAL OFFICER.

Private advices have been received here, announcing the death of Captain Henry A. Wise, formerly Chief of the Bureau of Ordnance of the Navy Department. He died at Naples on the first instant.

SAN JUAN TREATY.

The Senate, in Executive Session, postponed the further consideration of the San Juan treaty until December next.

EXTRAORDINARY FLOOD.

Great Destruction of Property in Canada and New York—Railroad Travel Suspended—Houses, Mills, &c., Swept Away—Loss of Life.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ALBANY, April 22.—The flood in the river here is the highest since 1857. The lower portion of the city is inundated, and several piles of lumber have been carried away from West Troy. Railroad travel is suspended. The storehouse of the Glenn Falls Lime Company, at Green Island, containing about fifteen hundred barrels of lime, was set on fire, by the water slaking the lime, and wholly destroyed, together with the storehouse of Tales & Sweet, of this city. Loss $5,000.

The freshet north of us is very severe. The boom above the dam at Glenn Falls was carried away this morning, and forty thousand logs set adrift. The loss will be very heavy.

The water still continues to rise at the rate of an inch per hour. The Central road is still submerged.

HUDSON, April 22.—The Hudson river railroad track is washed away between Stuyvesant and Schodack and several other points. Travel is suspended.

FONDA, N. Y., April 22.—The flood reached the highest point yesterday noon, higher than for many years. The railroad track has been submerged from Fonda to St. Johnsville, a distance of twenty miles. It is now falling slowly. The track and embankments are but slightly injured. Black's Bridge, three miles west of Little Falls, has been carried away.

SCHENECTADY, April 22.—The Mohawk river is fifteen feet above low water mark. The valley above the city is entirely inundated. The water is three to four feet deep on the public roads, and touched the old Mohawk bridge last night, but is a little lower to-day. No trains will leave.

UTICA, April 22.—The damage by the flood west of this city is trifling. One side of the bridge at Rome has fallen about one foot, and all trains pass on one track. One train came through from Syracuse this morning. A western bound train has been made up, which will take passengers back to take the Erie road from Rochester. The small bridge, one mile from Palatine, has been carried away, and a locomotive has dropped into the break. Nothing can be done until the water falls.

ALBANY, April 22.—The water has probably reached its highest point, and has been at a stand for two hours. The Mohawk is falling rapidly. The Central railroad trains are moving cautiously through the water; the tracks appear but slightly damaged and it is expected trains will run regularly to-morrow. The Hudson river has not been so high since 1857. Hundreds of families were driven out of their dwellings by the inundation, and there is much suffering. The mails from all directions are from six to twenty hours behind time. Up to a late hour this evening the water had receded only an inch from the highest point.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., April 22.—There is a great freshet in Black river. A grist mill, house, woolen factory and machine shop have been swept away, and several other buildings much injured. Dams, flumes and bulkheads are carried down stream and it will take months to repair the damages. The forcing pump for supplying the village with water has been damaged. The loss will amount to several hundred thousand dollars.

The Flood in Canada.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MONTREAL, April 22.—The inundation is nearly as bad now as during the great flood of 1861, and there is yet no prospect of relief by the ice breaking up. The Custom House is surrounded. No communication has been had with St. Helen's Island since Monday. Longueville and Lapraive are flooded to an alarming extent, the water in the latter place being nearly up to the eaves of the houses. A signal of distress has been hoisted and much loss of life and farm stock has probably taken place.

DUNVILLE, April 22.—The track of the Buffalo and Lake Huron Railroad, east of this point, is covered with water to a depth of six feet. Through passengers are transferred to the Great Western cars at Paris. An immense destruction of property in this section has been caused by the flood.

The Freshet in Connecticut River.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., April 22.—The Connecticut river reached twenty-one feet about low water mark this morning, and has since receded about a foot. Direct travel between this city and Northampton is suspended, and one track on the Hartford & New Haven road at Thompsonville is disabled. Both roads will probably be repaired to-morrow. The river has been the highest since 1862.

CONCORD, N. H., April 22.—The flood is abating, and all the railroads will soon be in running order.

WEST INDIES.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

HAVANA, April 22.—Advices are received from St. Domingo to the 12th inst. General Franco was arrested on a charge of an attempt at revolution, and had been executed. In consequence of Cabral's entry from the Haytien frontier, the whole republic had been placed under arms and everything was in a very excited condition. President Baez had finally consented to the inauguration of Francisco Gomez as Vice President. It is said that Baez's annexation projects and attempts to sell the Bay of Samana have caused general dissatisfaction.

PORT AU PRINCE, April 10.—President Salnave is reported to be losing ground. While the revolutionary war steamer Telegraph was saluting Gen. Saget a keg of powder exploded, and twenty of her crew were wounded.

ST. THOMAS, April 15.—Don Betances, the expelled Porto Ricon revolutionist, returned on the 12th from Laguayra. The Danish authorities refused to allow him to land, although he was provided with a passport from the American Legation at Caracas.

HAVANA, April 22.—The following news is official:

The news of the surrender of Villaniel Casanova and Junco, with six hundred of their followers is premature. At the last accounts the agreement between the insurgents and the Spanish General was not complete.

HAVANA, April 22.—Advices from St. Thomas to the 2d state that one of the Peruvian monitors, which started from Samana, was caught in a gale and foundered, with all on board, but four persons.

The Illinois Asylum for the Blind.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO, April 22.—A special from Springfield says it is now rendered probable that there will be no necessity for calling an extra session of the Illinois Legislature to make provision for re-erecting the new Blind Asylum, lately destroyed by fire. It is said that the people of Jacksonville have secured the Berea College Building, which has been for some time unoccupied, for the accommodation and wants of the Asylum, thus obviating the necessity of Legislative provision until the Legislature shall meet in regular session two years hence. It is also stated by another dispatch that Governor Palmer will immediately send a competent person to Jacksonville to make an estimate of the cost of rebuilding the Blind Asylum. It is understood that the people of that city are disposed to offer a liberal bonus toward rebuilding the Institution, even to the amount required to complete it. At the same time Bloomington, Springfield, and several other cities are making liberal offers for the location of the Institution.

News from Mexico.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

HAVANA, April 22.—Advices from the City of Mexico to the 16th have been received. Congress had suspended the individual guaranty act, as applied to robbers and revolutionists. A revolution is imminent in Jalisco. Congress had returned the financial report to the Committee without entertaining it. It had also refused to entertain the jury law.

Large Seizure of Whisky.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW ORLEANS, April 22.—Supervisor Creery yesterday seized nineteen thousand barrels of whiskey, about all in the city at wholesale. It is not charged that all has evaded the tax, but the owners must present proof of payment before a release can be had.

—The pork packers and provision dealers of St. Louis have subscribed fifteen hundred and fifty dollars to be awarded as premiums for hogs at the fair of the St. Louis Agricultural and Mechanical Association, to be held next October. This sum is in addition to the regular prizes of the Association, and will be distributed as follows: Best boar and sow of one age or breed with five pigs of the same breed, not to be over six months old, first premium, $700; second premium, $250; best boar, $150; best sow, $150; best ten pigs under six months old, $200; for the best fattened and largest hog, $100. These are the largest cash premiums ever offered in this country for hogs, and it is expected that all parts of the country will be represented.

Markets by Telegraph.

NEW ORLEANS, April 22.—Cotton; higher grades scarce and unchanged; lower grades easier; middling 28¼c; sales 2,600 bales; receipts, 512 bales; and exports, 6,292 bales. Gold 134¾. Sterling Exhange 145¼. New York Sight ⅛@¼ premium. Sugar dull; common 9@10c; prime 13½c. Molasses; fermenting 52c. Flour dull; superfine $5,70; double extra $6,50; treble extra $6,50. Corn firmer; white 77@78c. Oats firmer at 70@71c. Bran scarce at $1,40@1,50. Hay firm; prime $28. Pork quiet and firm at $32. Bacon quiet and firm at 13½@17½@17¾c. Lard dull; tierce 18@19c; keg 19½@20½c. Whisky dull; western rectified 85@90c. Coffee quiet and firm; fair 15@15¾c; prime 17@17½c.

BUFFALO, April 22.—Flour steady. Wheat begins to be inquired for; sales of 28,300 bus No. 2 Chicago and Milwaukee spring for local milling on private terms. Corn quiet and scarce; sales of a few cars at 78c on track, and 76c on spot. Oats nominal at 67c. Rye nominal at $1,30. Barley—sales of 2,200 bus good Canada at $1,74 in store. Seeds dull and unchanged. Pork and lard unchanged. Highwines neglected.

CHICAGO, April 22.—*Evening.*—At the open board in the afternoon, No. 2 spring wheat was moderately active, but weaker and lower, closing at $1,04½@1,04¾. Corn dull; new freely offered at 48c in city elevator. Other grains inactive. In the evening nothing was done, but the feeling was weak among sellers. No. 2 wheat at $1,05¼ for May. Provisions inactive.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 22.—Flour dull at $4,50@5,37½; sales of shipping extra at $5,00. Wheat; sales of 100 sacks of good shipping at $1,50; also, sales of 5,000 sacks of do. fair at $1,45. Legal Tenders 76c.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 22.—Flour dull and declined at $4,50@5,37½. Wheat in light demand, with sales good at $1,50, and choice at $1,55. Legal Tenders, 76½.

NASHVILLE, April 22.—Cotton inactive: low middling at 25, and good to ordinary at 24¼c.

THE COURTS

District Court—Judge Kirkpatrick.

THURSDAY, April 22.—In the case of Shade vs. Ainsworth, action for slander, previously reported, the jury found a verdict for plaintiff in the sum of six cents damages.

The case of Elforth vs. Malone, previously reported, was resumed, and occupied the time of the Court during the day.

TRIAL LIST FOR FRIDAY.

87 Dickey & Co. vs. Burder & Co.
88 Faverty vs. same.
90 Young vs. People's line of steamers.
95 Flounk vs. Douthett.
103 Smith vs. Dillinger & Stevenson.
105 Robinson vs. Garnishees of Carey.
108 Schalk vs. Finney.
118 Canfield vs. Garnishees of Troy.

Common Pleas—Judge Sterrett.

THURSDAY, April 22.—The case of Hyde's administrators vs. Taussig, Livingston & Co. was resumed, and concluded. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $2,167.02.

McNulty vs. McCombs. Rule on plaintiff to show cause why judgment and all proceedings subsequent thereto should not be set aside, and defendant allowed to make defence after due service of the writ, proceedings in the meantime to be stayed.

Reese vs. Bates. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be opened.

D. O'Neil et al. vs. John T. Shane. Action in assumpsit to recover $28 of debt contracted by the New York Oil Company, and alleged to have been assumed by the defendant. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $39,42.

Sauter & Bolland vs. Howard. Action on book account for work and labor done, amounting to $268. On trial.

TRIAL LIST FOR FRIDAY.

32 Adams vs. Lipp.
2 Aull vs. Wain.
5 Hageman & Snyder vs. Pittsburgh.
38 Pier, Dannals & Co. vs. Shultz & Danner.
40 McKenna vs. Stoney.
42 Seiferth & Co. vs. Lallie.
45 Heath for use vs. Haigh et al.
48 Carson vs. Meinhart.
50 Einstein vs. A. V. R. R. Co.
52 Bowens vs. Armstrong, Dickson & Co.
55 Flinn and wife vs. City of Pittsburgh.
60 Schorr vs. Appel.
61 Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and St. Louis R. W. Co. vs. Hamilton & Co.
62 Peterson vs. Gringer.
63 Laughlin vs. Ramsey.

The Case of Wm. B. Donaldson.

We find the following in the St. Louis *Republican*:

In view of the recent decision of Judge Primm of the Criminal Court, in the case of Captain William B. Donaldson, charged with the murder of the negro Anderson, on the steamer Great Republic last June, by which application for a discharge on a writ of *habeas corpus* was denied, the case has assumed additional interest. It was claimed by the counsel for the prisoner that under the statutory provision, where a case is continued by the State during three terms following that in which the indictment is found, the defendant shall be discharged. This was stated to be the fact in regard to the prisoner's previous detention, and it was argued that the question of a *nolle prosequi*, which was granted, cut no figure in the case, and that the Circuit Attorney had no authority to enter a *nol. pros.* under the circumstances. The application for a discharge, as stated, was denied, and the examination of Captain Donaldson, on the original charge, is set for Friday, April 23d, in the Court of Criminal Correction.

A visit to the jail, yesterday, afforded an opportunity to our reporter for a short interview with Captain Donaldson, who appeared quite cheerful, considering the very grave charge upon which he is held in custody. He remarked at the outset, that he had not a moment's thought about the danger of a conviction, and that the worst feature was the irksomeness of confinement. The restraint of his freedom he, said, was exceedingly tedious to him. On further conversation he narrated the manner in which his recent surrender to the authorities was brought about, while he with his family were coming to Pittsburgh, and in which he was treated by the Cincinnati police with so much kind consideration.

The Captain expressed his surprise, and passed a few comments upon Judge Primm's decision in his case. He was at all times ready for trial, feeling confident that he had such strong points in his favor as to place the matter in a new light. No defence had yet been brought forward, the previous examinations being all *ex parte* testimony and one sided, and, as before stated, he did not for a moment fear conviction before a jury.

The Fatal Day Approaching for Lane, the Wife Poisoner.

Louis Lane, the colored wife poisoner, still holds up remarkably well, and as the day for his execution approaches he grows even more cheerful and communicative. He still maintains that he is innocent, but does not intrude the assertion. He is daily attended by Rev. Father Kerr, and has had the sacraments of the Catholic Church administered to him. The good Sisters of Charity continue their visits and regularly pray with him in his cell. We do not think he will make any public confession of his crime, if he really be guilty of its perpetration, unless he does so with his dying breath on the gallows on Thursday next at noon.

The gallows will be erected on Wednesday evening, and, as we have before remarked, will be constructed on a new plan much less objectionable than the old one on which Charlotte Jones, Fife, Evans, Jacobs, Marshall, Frecke and Mrs. Grinder were executed. There will be but a very limited number of cards of admission issued to the jail yard to witness the awful scene, as Sheriff Cluley desires to have the execution as private as possible and fully within the intent of the law.

Although Allegheny county has always contained a large colored population, we believe that Lane is but the second negro to expiate the crime of murder by a felon's death. Gallego, a colored murderer, was publicly hanged on Boyd's Hill some thirty years ago, since when no other negro save Lane has been found guilty of murder in the first degree. The few remaining days of the wretched prisoner will be made as comfortable as possible by the kind hearted Wardens, and while there is not the slightest probability that he will attempt to cheat the gallows by taking his own life, still all needful precaution will be taken to prevent the possibility of suicide.

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

EARLY APRIL DAYS.

Twice in the year the maple tree
Grows red beneath our northern skies,
Once when October lights the sea
With splendid flames and Tyrian dyes,
And once when April and the bee
First greet us with their glad surprise,
And on the budding twigs we see
The first faint color rise.

The morning hours blend joy with grief,
That draw the fuller springtime near,
And hint the tender opening leaf,
And pour the robin's carol clear;
For not the time of ripened sheaf,
And rainbow woods, is half so dear,
As this, the boyhood, bright and brief,
The earliest of the year.

PENNSYLVANIA.

READING complains of bad butter.

BLIND TOM is going to play at Warren.

MONTGOMERY county wants a new almshouse.

A TRACK for velocipede races is being made at Titusville.

QUITE a number of fine buildings are about to be put up in Greensburg.

ON Wednesday Meadville rejoiced under a meteor apparently as large as the moon.

THE first shad are announced as having been caught in the Lower Susquehanna.

THE workmen of the Pennsylvania Slate Works of Northampton county are on a strike.

IT is said that agents are now at work in Luzerne county to produce a strike among the coal miners.

IN Huntingdon, Sunday is the fashionable day for funerals, and there has been one in that town every Sunday this year.

THE other day a mad dog appeared in Penn borough, Westmoreland county, and bit several children before it was killed.

THE local editor of the Crawford *Journal* amuses himself during his promenades by counting the unmuzzled dogs he sees.

THE Pennsylvania Railroad has founded a new town, nine miles from the Market street bridge, Philadelphia, which is called Byrnmarr.

THE dwelling house of Mr. Geo. Lord, near Meadville, was, with most of its contents, destroyed by fire last Friday. There was no insurance.

THE Washington *Reporter* says: "We have not seen a better prospect for a good crop of wheat in this county for several years past than there is at the present time."

THE Mountaineer Base Ball Club of Ebensburg has voted to contribute $350 of the funds realized by its late Fair towards the erection of a soldiers' monument in Ebensburg.

TAE Greensburg *Herald* says: "The wheat in this county looks elegant, and the past week of pleasant weather has given the farmers a splendid opportunity to put in oats and prepare the soil for corn planting."

THE York *Democrat* says: "Grain never looked more promising than now in York county. Fruit trees are beginning to bud and blossom, and if nothing unforseen happens we will have an abundant crop the coming season."

LANCASTER can hardly be a safe place to live in just now. The *Examiner* says: "Our policemen are daily shooting dogs exhibiting symptoms of madness." The danger from the rabid animals and the policemen's pistols must be fearful.

A WHEELING-ITE rode his velocipede over to Washington, the other day, where he created great excitement. He left Triadelphia at eight o'clock in the morning and reached Washington at three in the afternoon, which was not very fast time for a bicycle.

A MAN named Harmony shot and killed a man named Spitle with a shot-gun, near Chambersburg, on Monday last. Both men were gunning for game and both were very drunk. Harmony was so drunk that he can't tell how he shot the other but knows they did not quarrel.

DAUB'S hotel in Pottstown caught fire on Sunday morning and sustained about $3,000 worth of damage. At one time it was thought the fire would destroy the hotel and a large block of frame dwellings adjoining, and Mr. John Yocum, a prominent citizen, was so excited that he was stricken with apoplexy and died almost instantly.

A LETTER from Scranton to the Montrose *Republican* says: "The miners of this county, Carbon and Schuylkill propose to have a general strike soon, in order to stop the supply and raise the price of coal and thus increase the wages. The only trouble now is with Hyde Park. There are many Welsh and English there, who are not so excitable and ready for striking as the Irish."

THE West Chester *Record* says: The deposits of iron ore upon the farm of Mr. Jacob Keenan, in West Nantmeal, are much more extensive than at first supposed. The ore is magnetic iron—one of the best ores found. It lies only four feet under ground, and the miners have now reached the depth of seventeen feet, the quality of iron found appearing to improve with the depth. The mines are leased to capitalists, who intend to develop them fully, and think of erecting a furnace for smelting the ore on the spot.

ALTOONA has had another fire and eighteen families were turned out of doors by it. It is supposed to be the work of an incendiary. We think about half of the buildings in Altoona must have been destroyed by incendiary fires within the last few years, and we also think that in so small a city, if the proper energy and tact were shown, some of these arsonists could be discovered and punished as severely as the law allows. At present, however, arson seems to be a crime to be committed with impunity in that place.

WE HAVE already noticed the mysterious attempts on the life of Samuel Temple, a young miller of Yardleyville. The Newton *Enterprise* gives the following romantic story as a conclusion of the drama: "On Saturday morning last, Mr. John R. Butting found a letter under his store door, addressed to Samuel Temple. When Temple came in, he opened and read it. It was afterwards shown to and read by other persons. It was dated at New York, March 29th, containing four pages, written in an excellent female hand, and signed "Viola," and the substance is as follows: Some two years ago, she was riding with an attendant near Fairmount Park, Philadelphia, when the horse took fright, and she was thrown from her saddle, her foot being fast in the stirrup. In this dilemma, Temple, who happened to be on the road, came to her assistance, disengaging her, and thus saving her life. That she is wealthy and highly educated, and in gratitude to Temple, she is anxious to become his wife. She shortly addressed two letters to him, expressing her gratitude and love, but Temple disregarded them. Then, determining no other woman should ever possess him, she attempted his life, and for the purpose, employed four Spanish assassins, offering each of them one thousand dollars to accomplish her object. That when she wrote him the letter, requesting him to meet her at Bordentown, she had concluded to make no more attempts at his life, but she had not had an opportunity to get word to her hired accomplice before the last attempt was made. That she intended to have an interview with him at Bordentown, but changed her mind, and saw him from a second story window. That now she is going to Europe, and that he is in no more danger, as she now has lost her love for him, and would not marry him. Temple says he remembers the circumstance of rescuing the lady; that he asked her if she was hurt; she answered in the negative; and they parted. He says he received the two letters, but did not see proper to reply to them. The letter is in the same hand writing of the one asking him to go to Bordentown, and was in a white envelope. She stated that she had employed a person to carry it from New York to Yardleyville.

WEST VIRGINIA.

ON Friday night last the streets of Charleston were, for the first time, lighted at public expense.

THE Point Pleasant *Register* says the "farmers of that county report the wheat crop as looking better than it has for years."

THE Hancock county *Courier* says: The four children of the Rev. William and Anna Stephens, of Harrison county, were taken away by that terrible scourge, diptheria, between February 12th and March 5th. The oldest was eight years of age, and the youngest nine months.

THE Greenbrier *Independent* reports farm work in that county more advanced than it has been known for years in that section at this time of the year. The same paper says the wheat crop in Greenbrier, as a general thing, is looking well, and the prospect at present for a large yield is very flattering.

ON Tuesday morning, Frederick Rotherman, a citizen of South Wheeling, attempted to drown himself, but was prevented by some parties who happened to be in the neighborhood. The reason assigned for his attempt is that he had endorsed largely for a nephew who failed to meet his obligations, and this, combined with domestic infelicity, produced melancholy and low spirits.

THE Preston county *Journal* has reappeared after a prolonged absence. It was burnt out at the time the Kingwood court-house was destroyed, and the conflagration has not improved its appearance. Its editors promise, however, that in a few weeks it will look better. We feel sure its subscribers must feel so pleased at its re appearance that they will willingly grant a few weeks time for convalescence.

THE Wheeling *Intelligencer* says: Yesterday we recorded the killing of Mr. J. Jay Johnson, Express Messenger on the Cumberland and Frostburg road, Monday afternoon. About the same hour a young man in the employ of the Railroad Company was run over by a train and killed at Piedmont. The young man, whose name we have been unable to learn, had just got a holiday. He had dressed in his clean clothes, and was waiting for a train to take him to Washington City, whither he was going to visit his mother, a widow. He was loitering about the engine yard among the trains, when he was caught and killed by one. There are several painful coincidences about the death of these two young men. Both were the sons of widows. Johnson had made every arrangement to visit his mother the same evening. Each was sent to his mother a corpse by the same train upon which he had expected to take passage.

CLIPPINGS.

MR. JOE SAMUEL, a Huntsville, Mo., dry goods clerk, while in a state of somnambulism, walked out of a second story window, fell ten feet, striking his face on a barrel and receiving a fearful gash, and, it is asserted, next morning was standing by the wall *asleep*, the fall and injuries having failed to awaken him.

SEVERAL serious accidents have recently occurred owing to the evaporation of water in what is known as the water joint of a gasiler. The *Builder* suggests that Colza oil should be substituted for the water in the water joint, so that this contrivance should not be used at all. It points out also that the ordinary gas meter is equally dangerous, owing to the liability of the water evaporating.

A MINISTER in Newfoundland requires that all persons dying in his parish shall be buried by him; and this winter kept a child three weeks unburied, waiting for his return home. Fortunately, it was in the winter. He also had the body of an aged woman, who had been uncanonically interred, taken out of its grave, where it had lain a month, and brought to a school house near his residence, and, after services by himself, reburied it.

THE NUTMEG TREE, it is reported, is found growing in the Sierra Nevada range in California. The San Mateo (Cal.) *Gazette* says that some years ago nutmegs equal in strength and flavor to those of the East Indies, were plucked at the head waters of the Feather river, Placer county. The tree, it is reported, resembles certain species of pine. In the early times of California, nutmegs were gathered in Placer county, and sold in small quantities.

THE Chicago *Tribune* says "a flash of lightning" sometimes indulges in strange freaks. During the heavy thunder storm on Sunday evening, a "bolt" struck the track of the Indiana avenue horse cars, and, passing along the iron track, circled many times around the wheel of a car, then passed along the chain to the brake, from the brake through the car, then out of a window, and finally lodged in a mud bank. The passengers thought that their "chances of being struck by lightning" were pretty good.

THE lumbering season in the Saginaw region has closed. The stock of logs got in on the rivers, creeks and their tributaries in the Saginaw Valley, will not exceed that of last year, which amounted to about 450,000,000 feet. The prospect of getting the logs to market is rather unfavorable, owing to the dry cold weather. Over 100,000,000 feet of logs are banked, and it will be impossible to get out unless a deluge of rain descends, for the streams are falling rapidly. As the demand for lumber is active at the East and elsewhere, the price, if the supply falls short, is likely to be considerably enhanced.

A WASHINGTON despatch says, of the new negotiations with England: It is understood that Secretary Seward's demands in the earlier stages of the negotiations, before they were toned down and modified by Minister Johnson, will form the essential basis of Mr. Motley's instructions. General Grant is known to insist upon full reparation and indemnity for all outrages resulting from English complicity with the Confederates, and Mr. Motley will not be allowed any latitude in excusing or arbitrating our just demands away.

AT Stuttgart, Germany, a few weeks ago, a noble lady was riding in the park, followed by a groom, when she was overtaken by the carriage of one of the most respectable merchants of the town. The groom's horse started and threw his rider, but without injuring him. The next day the merchent received from the head of the police a note containing the following passage: "When ladies of noble birth are out riding, and the carriage of a citizen is behind, he must not pass, but modestly keep his place behind —the only one suited to him."

THE Cincinnati *Chronicle* says: At 6 o'clock last evening a hod carrier, by the name of Fritz Holthoff, fell from the third story of a house on the east side of Walnut street, between Mercer and Allison streets, and landed in a cellar, falling a distance of about thirty feet. He broke his skull near the left temple, broke the left jaw, two ribs and the right leg. The unfortunate man was taken to his home, No. 21 Hughes street, where he received the attentions of several surgeons. His wounds will probably prove fatal. He is about thirty years of age, and has a wife and three children.

RECENT investigations in Germany show, it is stated, that the painful effect of artificial light upon the eyes is attributable to the great proportion of non-luminous rays, or rays of mere caloric bearing no illumination, which it contains. In sunlight there are fifty per cent. of such rays, in gaslight nearly ninety, in electric light eighty, and in kerosene light ninety-four. A chemist named Landsberg has discovered that by passing any kind of artificial light through a thin layer of alum or mica these caloric rays are absorbed, while the illuminating powers of the light rays is undiminished, and becomes exceedingly mild and pleasant to the eye.

WE give the following fact on the authority of the British *Mining Journal*: Pascoe Ellis, a young man working in the 180 fathom level east, in Bolallack Mine, about half a mile from the sea, after blasting a hole in a hard granite rock (not primary, but what is called the secondary granite,) about eight inches off from a lode composed of quartz and iron, and five feet thick, disscovered a substance jutting up three inches above the surface of the rock he had blasted. He took his hammer to break it off, but on finding it flexible, he cut it out with his chisel. It proved to be a vegetable substance, about four inches in length and one and a half in diameter. It had the smell of the common ore-weed, found on the shores of the United Kingdom.

SILKWORM EGGS.—It is authoritatively announced by a San Francisco paper that five and a half million dollars' worth of silkworm eggs were exported from the port of Yokohama, Japan, in 1868. The purchasers were mostly Frenchmen; though a few Italian buyers were in the market. Forty days are required to transport the eggs to Europe by the India overland route; hence it is argued that upon the opening of the Pacific Railroad the silkworm crop in California can be made to replace the Japanese and Chinese article. It is claimed that the California eggs bring a higher price in all European markets, are sought for with greater avidity, and produce stronger and healthier cones, which make larger and stronger cocoons than the Japanese or Chinese eggs.

KILLED.—J. Jay Johnson was instantly killed, Monday morning, on the railroad between Cumberland and Mount Savage. Mr. Johnson was express messenger on that route, and was on duty at the time the fatal occurrence happened. The conductor on the train, in taking up the tickets, came to a passenger who neither had a ticket nor would pay his fare. Preparations were made to put him off, when he drew a pistol. The conductor threw up his arm to knock the weapon out of the obstinate man's hands, and in doing so it was discharged, the ball taking effect on the person of Mr. Johnson, who was standing near, killing him instantly. The man was taken into custody, placed in irons and lodged in jail at Cumberland on the arrival of the train in that city.

ONLY a few days since, when Mrs. Grant was on her way to New York, two gentlemen aspiring to place, and who were somewhat acquainted with her, occupied the seat by her side in succession. The first took occasion to inform her that though the other, sitting near them, was a pleasant, plausible gentleman, he was a great rascal, and not fit to be trusted in any public position. Shortly after the person in question, watching his chance, took the seat with Mrs. Grant, and went on to say that he noticed that his friend who had just left seemed to be very entertaining; the fact was, he was a smooth, agreeable, smart fellow, but unfortunately he was a great scoundrel. Mrs. Grant replied that he had just been giving her an account of the one then addressing her, and added, "Your estimates of each other are almost exactly the same."—*Washington Letter.*

A SUIT, Alexander Dunn vs. The Grand Trunk Railroad Company, was decided in the Superior Court at Portland, last week. The plaintiff sued for damages on account of injuries received in consequence of a saloon car on a freight train having been thrown off the track by a broken rail. The defense was that the company, by public notification, had ordered that no person should be allowed to ride as a passenger on a freight train, and that if the plaintiff did so it was at his own risk. Proof was adduced showing that the plaintiff had paid the regular passenger fare, and rode in company with at least one other passenger. The Court instructed the jury that the plaintiff had no right in law to ride on a freight car without permission from an authorized agent of the company; that the fact of the plaintiff having been permitted to pay his fare and ride rendered the company liable despite their regulations, and that returning the plaintiff his fare after the accident did not release the company from their liability. Damages for plaintiff $1,800.

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Markets by Telegraph.

NEW YORK, April 22.—Cotton heavy, with sales 1,100 bales at 28¼@28¾ for middling uplands. Flour—receipts 5,289 bbls; market favors buyers and more doing, part for export; sales 7,800 bbls at $5,25@5,65 for superfine, State and western, $5,75@6,10 for extra State, $5,65@6,60 for extra western, $6,65@8 for white wheat extra, $5,75@7,10 for R. H. O., $7@8 for extra St. Louis, $9@12 for good to choice do; closing steady. Rye Flour quiet, with sales 300 bbls at $5,85@6,75. Corn Meal quiet. Whisky nominal. Wheat—receipts 1,922 bush; market is heavy and spring grades lower, with sales 34,000 bush at $1,28 for No. 3 spring in store, $1.35@1,37½ for No. 2 do. in store and delivered, $1,43@1,48 for small parcels No. 1 do. in store and delivered, $1,41½ for 1 load do. in store, $1,65@1,70 for white California, $1,50 for inferior amber, $1,69 for amber Michigan. Rye heavy and decidedly lower; sales of 7,000 bushels western at $1,30, and 800 Canada at $1,34. Barley malt quiet. Receipts corn 17,017. Corn opened steady and closed heavy, declining. Sales of 96,000 bushels at 80@81¼ for new mixed western; 81½@84½ for old do in store and delivered; 75 for two years old do in store. Receipts oats, 5,706. Oats a shade firmer; sales of 28,000 bushels at 76½ for western in store; 77¼@79 for do afloat. Rice dull. Coffee firm; sales of 6,700 bags Rio on private terms. Sugar dull; sales of 400 bbls at 12¼ for Porto Rico, and 15 for Demarara. Molasses dull; sales of 50 bbls New Orleans at 76@78. Hops steady at 6@15 for American. Petroleum firm at 17½, crude oil; 32½@33c for refined bonded. Linseed Oil quiet at $1,02 in casks. Pork a shade easier, with sales 1,175 bbls at $31,20@31,35 for new mess, closing at $31.20 cash, $31 for old do, $25,75@26,25 for prime, $28,50@29,00 for prime mess, $30,75 for thin mess, and $33,62 for clear. Beef dull, with sales 150 bbls at $8@16 for new plain mess, and $12@18 for new mess. Tierce Beef dull, with sales 65 tierces at $23@28 for prime mess, and $25@30 for India mess. Beef Hams steady, with sales 250 bbls at $26@32. Cut Meats steady, with sales 100 pkgs at 12¾@13c for shoulders, and 16@16¾c for hams. Middles quiet. Lard quiet, with sales 600 tierces at 17¾@18⅞c for steam, and 19@19¼c for kettle rendered. Butter steady at 28@35c for Ohio, and 35@43c for State. Cheese firm at 19@23c. Spirits Turpentine quiet. Freights to Liverpool quiet, with engagements per steamer 7,500 bush corn at 3d.

LATEST.—Flour closed steady, and more doing in low grades. Wheat dull, 10c lower. Rye dull and heavy at $1,30@1,32 for western. Oats steady at 76½c for western in store. Corn quiet at 80@80½c for new western mixed, and 81½@84c for old mixed western in store and delivered. Pork moderately active and firm, with sales of 500 bbls new mess at $31,25. Beef quiet and unchanged. Cut meats quiet and steady. Bacon dull and nominal. Lard dull at 18¾@18⅞c for fair to prime steam. Eggs quiet and steady at 18@19c.

CHICAGO, April 22.—Eastern exchange flat to par buying and 1-10 premium selling. Flour quiet, with sales of spring extras at $6@6,25. Wheat firmer and dull; sales of No. 1 at $1,12½@1,14, No. 2 at $1,04½@1,05¾c, closing at $1,05; sales since 'Change at $1,04¾. Corn active and higher; sales of rejected at 47@47½c, new at 45@48c, closing at 45@48c; sales of No. 1 at 57½@58c seller May, No. 2 at 54½c seller April, 55@55½c, seller May, 55½c seller June and buyer May: nothing doing in the afternoon. Oats firm and ¼@½c higher; sales of No. 2 at 54½@56½c, rejected at 51½@53c; closing at 55¼@55½c for No. 2. Rye dull, inactive and nominal at $1,18@1,18¼ for No. 1. Barley dull and 10c lower; sales at $1,45@1,55, closing at $1,45 for No. 2 in regular houses. Highwines nominal at 87@88c. New Orleans Molasses $1,00@1,05. Sugar 14@15½c for common to choice. Mess Pork in good demand and 25c higher at $30,25@30,50; closing strong at $30,50@30,75. Sweet pickled hams are steady at 15½c. Dry salted shoulders 11¼@11½c; rough sides steady at 14c for loose. Lard firm at 18c. Receipts for the past twenty-four hours—8,419 bbls flour, 13,850 bus wheat, 2,595 bus corn, 13,492 bus oats, 1,165 bus rye, 1,200 bus barley, 8,831 head hogs. Shipments—11,349 bbls flour, 76,321 bus wheat, 224,199 bus corn, 147,070 bus oats, 1,070 bus rye, 350 bus barley, 4,007 hogs.

ST. LOUIS, April 22.—Tobacco is tolerably active at full prices. Cotton nominal and nothing doing. Hemp at $1,05@1,50 for undressed. Flour flat: a few order sales at $4,75 for superfine; $5@5,15 for double extra spring, and $7,50@8,50 for treble extra. Wheat quiet but firm at $1,55@1,60 for prime white fall; $1,75@1,95 for choice to fancy red and white; $1,08 for No. 2 spring, and $1,10@1,11 for No. 1. Corn heavy and easier at 65@67c for yellow and white sacked. Oats dull and drooping at 62@65c. Barley quiet and steady at $1,85 for choice spring Iowa, and $2,10 for do Minnesota. Rye steady at $1,23@1,25 for prime, and $1,28 for choice. Whisky dull at 87c@$1,12. Groceries unchanged. Provisions active for clear rib sides, both dry, salt and smoked, and some demand for Bacon clear sides for future delivery. Pork at $31@31,50, the latter for extra heavy. Bulk Meats at 15@15¼c for loose clear rib sides. Bacon shoulders at 13@13¼c; clear rib sides at 16¾c; clear sides at 17c, and 100,000 lbs of the latter, buyer May, at 17¼c. Lard; holders stiff and generally out. Cattle market quiet with only a local demand and prices unchanged at 3@7¼c. Hogs steady at 8@10c. Receipts—flour 3,800 bbls; wheat 8,300; corn 8,600; oats 6,600; barley 6,500; rye 200 bush; hogs 350.

CINCINNATI, April 22.—Flour is quiet and unchanged; family, $6,50@6,75. Wheat is firm; No. 2 at $1,36, but little No. 1 in the market. Corn scarce and advanced to 70c for ear. Oats at 66@70; the latter rate paid for white. Rye sold at $1,39@1,40. Cotton is dull; middling at 27¼. Tobacco firm at full rates. Whisky is steady at 98. Provisions are quiet but firm. Mess Pork at $31. Bulk Meats 12⅞@14¼. Bacon at 13¼ for shoulders, and 16¼@17 for clear rib and clear sides. Lard is generally held at 19, buyers at 18¼@18¾ for country and city. Butter is dull, but the prices are unchanged, fresh at 33@37. Eggs are firm at 16. Groceries unchanged and firmer at full rates. Potatoes unchanged at 50@70 per bushel. Linseed oil dull at $1,05@1,06. Lard Oil is dull but not lower. Petroleum is steady at 32@34 for refined. Gold at 132½, buying and 134, selling. Money market close at 10@11 per cent.

TOLEDO, April 22.—Flour market dull. Wheat steady and unchanged, with sales amber at $1,45; white Michigan regular at $1,46; No. 1 red at $1,44½; buyers offer $1,30 for No. 2 red. Corn quiet and steady; No. 1 at 65, and No. 2 at 62½c; sales Michigan at 63. Oats firm and 1c better at 64 for No. 1. Rye dull and unchanged; No. 1 at $1,25. Barley dull and unchanged. Receipts—800 bbls flour, 1,500 bush wheat, 9,800 bush corn, 1,600 bush oats. Shipments—2,190 bbls flour, 3,900 bush wheat, 26,400 bush corn, 1,000 bush oats, 600 bush rye.

BALTIMORE, April 22.—Flour is more active, with sales of western superfine at $5,85@6,25, do. extra, $6,50@8, and do. family, $8,25@9. Wheat is dull, with sales of choice red at $2,20. Corn is dull, with sales of prime white at 86@88c, and yellow at 84@86c. Oats: the market is firm, at 75@80c for heavy. Rye is dull at $1,40@1,45. Mess Pork is firm at $32. Bacon is firm, with sales of rib sides at 16¾c, clear sides 17½c, shoulders, 14½c, and hams at 20@21c. Lard is firm at 19½c. Whisky is quiet at 91@92c.

MILWAUKEE, April 22.—Flour is quiet, steady and unchanged. Wheat closed steady at $1,11¼ for No. 1, and $1,04 for No. 2. Oats in fair demand at 54c for No. 2. Corn quiet and steady at 54c for new. Rye lower at $1,12 for No. 1. Barley firm, with fair to good at $1,70@1,85. Freights are quiet at 7c to Buffalo and 13c to Oswego. The receipts for the past twenty-four hours amounted to 2,000 barrels flour, 17,000 bushels wheat, 2,000 bushels corn, and 2,000 hushels oats.

LOUISVILLE, April 23.—Tobacco; sales 144 hhds common lugs, 980 do good, 600 do Craig common leaf at $14,75. Flour $5,50@6,00. Wheat $1,40@1,50. Oats 67@68c. Corn 66@68c. Sugar firm; New Orleans 14½c. Hay $21@21,50. Mess pork $34,50. Lard 18½c. Bacon; shoulders 13¾c, clear rib sides 17c, clear sides 17½c. Bulk shoulders 13¾c, clear rib sides 16c, clear sides 16½c. Cotton 47c. Whiskey 91c.

PHILADELPHIA, April 22.—Flour very dull; sales of Northwestern extra family at $6,50@7,25, and Ohio do at $7,00@8,00. Wheat firm; sales of red at $1,70@1,75, and amber Michigan at $1,80@1,85. Rye steady at $1,45. Corn steady at 83c for mixed western. Petroleum unchanged. Provisions inactive. Whiskey advanced to 96@98c.

CLEVELAND, April 22.—Wheat—No. 1 red winter held at $1,43, and No. 2 do at $1,30. Corn—sales of 6 cars at 70c, and 2 cars at 59c. Oats held at 65c. Rye held at $1,25@1,30. Petroleum market dull and steady at 28@29c for standard white in large lots; small lots to the retail trade at 32@33c.

CHICAGO, April 22.—Hogs active and firm at $8,70@10,20 for common to choice. Beef Cattle more active and easier at $5,25@5,70 for cows, $6,00@6,75 for stockers and light fleshy steers, $7,00@7,25 for good to choice, and $7,60 for extra choice shipping beeves.

MEMPHIS, April 22.—Cotton dull; middling at 27@27½c; receipts; 257 bales; exports, 1,096 bales. Flour quiet. Corn, 77@78c. Oats, 75@80. Hay, $26@27. Pork, $21. Lard, 18@20c; Bacon steady; stoulders, 13½c; sides, 17¼c. Bulk meats quiet; shoulders, 12½c; sides, 16½.

CINCINNATI, April 22.—*Cattle Market*—Beef Cattle unchanged and range at $4@4,75 for common to extra. Hogs are steady at $10@11 for good to extra heavy. Sheep are scarce and in demand at 4@6,50, gross.

DETROIT, April 22.—Wheat dull; extra white winter $1,75; No. 1 do. $1,58; No. 1 $1,35.

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, April 22.—The market continues inert, but we are fast approaching a turning point that will sorely test the ability of the mills to produce goods at the present low rates. Fancy woollen goods adapted for men's wear are selling at from $1 down to 50c, currency. In brown goods there was another break late last evening on Atlantic sheetings by a leading jobber, and it has extended to other makes to-day. We now quote Atlantic A heavy brown sheeting at 15¼c; do. P 13½c; do. V 12@12½c; H 15c; Pacific extra 15c; Lawrence C 15c; Lyman E 15c; Laurel D 15; St. Lawrence O 14½c; Princeton A 15c; Augusta 14½c; Pequot A 16; do. B 18; Boatt O are down to 11½c, and Great Falls to 11½c.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILROAD, April 22.—13 cars metal, Nimick & Co; 3 do do, Union Mills; 1 do bran, Keil & Ritchart; 2 do rye, H Wallace; 200 bbls flour, Seghmyer & V; 400 do do, owners; 100 do do, Wilson & Son; 5 bbls whisky, W Harting; 38 kgs nails, G M Eberman; 100 do do, J B Smeathen; 20 doz washboards, Dilworth & Co; 1 car barley, Gray & Son; 90 sks rye, W J Meek; 31 bbls apples, H Rea Jr; 16 doz brooms, Knox & Orr; 10 bbls flour, L & J Blanchard; 21 bxs tobacco, Pretzfield & Bro; 40 sewing machines, Sumner & Co; 11 bbls apples apples, J J Pettit; 7 do do, W H Graff; 11 do do, Van Gorder & S; 2 cars hay, O H Allerton; 100 bgs, 25 bbls flour, J Dorrington; 50 bgs feed, Adams & Austin; 5 bbls starch, C Morningstar.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD April 22.—3 cars blooms, Nimick & Co; 1 do turnings, Moorhead & Co; 1 do lime, Hamilton, Algeo & Co, 1 do barley, J M Carson & Co; 1 do stoneware H Laughlin; 15 bbls peas, Haslage & Co; 1 lot furniture, Hamner & D; 19 sacks rags, Christy & Beenam; 16 do rye, McHenry & Hood; 2 do eggs, 19 jugs molasses, Cramer & Co; 25 do do, Armstrong B & Co; 75 bdls chairs, 12 do rockers, Bedford Chair Co; 5 bbls apples, J A Graff; 3 do eggs, Steel & Bro; 4 do apples, Keil & Ritchart; 40 oil barrels, C A Wormcastle; 10 bbls eggs, 1 do butter, M'Cullough, S & Co; 9 bales cotton, Dickey & Co; 3 bbls eggs, 1 firkin buter, 2 bgs rags, Head & M.

PITTSBURGH CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD, April 22.—1 bbl eggs, 1 do butter, McDonald & Co; 1 do tallow, J Gallagher; 8 bbls eggs, J A Graff; 2 do do, Day & Co; 4 tubs, 1 bbl butter, 9 do eggs, W A Graff; 17 sks potatoes, Meanor & H; 4 pkgs produce, F G Craighead; 603 bush, 1 car ear corn, Shomaker & Langenheim; 100 bbls flour, D Wallace; 100 do do, J M Montgomery; 1 car staves, W Hastings; 1 do do, M P Adams; 50 tcs hams, Dalzell & T; 10 do do, Hanna & Co; 6 do do, Sellers & Co; 5 do do, E Heazleton; 3 cars corn, G Stewart; 20 kgs lard, S Ewart & Co.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD, April 22.—56 bbls oil, H W C Tweddle; 14 bgs barley, D Ditman; 3 bxs eggs, Knox & Orr; 3 pkgs, A Kirkpatrick & Co; 1 do do, Little & Baird; 1 car clay, Dithridge & Son; 8 sks oats, Adams & Austin; 6 bbls eggs, J Bickman; 320 bbls oil, Fisher & Bro; 480 do do, J B Bell; 132 do do, Pennock & Beeson; 5 cars limestone, Shoenberger & Blair; 1 car metal, McKnight, Porter & Co; 34 green hides, M Delange; 2 cars metal, John Moorhead; 11 sks potatoes, J D Strouse; 2 bbls bacon, Dalzell & Townsend; 7 bbls onions, 1 do apples, Vangorder & Shepard; 1 car lime, D L Reynolds; 89 bgs oats, 3 do rye, Blaney & Moore.

ALLEGHENY STATION, April 22.—12 pkgs tobacco, R & W Jenkinson; 1 car lath, A Taggar; 1 do wheat, M'Kee & Co; 1 do scrap iron, P I & F Co; 1 do lumber, Walter & Son; 1 do lime, J Abdell; 6 do iron ore, 3 do limestone, Superior Iron Co; 1 do metal, Spang, Chalfant & Co; 100 bbls flour, 6 do eggs, R & A Carson; 104 do cider, P Herple, 1 car lumber, Phelps, Parke & Co.

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RIVER NEWS.

The river was rising steadily last evening, with ten feet six inches in the channel by the Monongahela marks. Weather clear and pleasant.

The Lorena and Glasgow were due last night and will doubtless be found in port this morning.

The Australia departed for New Orleans last evening with a fair trip, including quite a number of wagons, carts, etc. Capt. James Hamilton was to pilot her to Cincinnati.

The high-headed Glendale, Capt. J. M. Hare, with Capt. Jas. Mellon in the office, will positively leave for St. Louis and the Upper Mississippi to-day.

The R. C. Gray, Capt. Whittaker, is filling up steadily for Cincinnati and Louisville, and will take her departure to-morrow evening.

The Bellevernon, Capt. J. J. Darragh, Jr, is announced for St. Louis and St. Paul forthwith. She is, in all respects, one of the best boats in the trade.

The Mary Davage and Barges, Capt. Shedden, are announced co leave for St. Louis to-morrow, and shippers should bear this in mind.

The Kenton, Capt. Kerr, is the regular packet for Portsmouth to-day, leaving at 4 P. M.

—The Camelia, Pittsburgh to Nashville, was at Louisville on Tuesday.

—The Sallie, Nick Wall and Collossal, were loading at St. Louis for Benton on Tuesday.

—The Argosy was loading at St. Louis for Pittsburgh on Tuesday, Capt. Lew Vandegrift in command.

—The R. E. Lee made the run from New Orleans to Louisville in 5½ days, and done a large way business.

—The Great Republic from New Orleans, and Maggie Hays from Pittsburgh, were at Cairo on Tuesday.

—In the Court of Criminal Correction St. Louis on Tuesday, the case of Capt. Donaldson was continued until the 23d.

—The Alaski arrived at Cincinnati, with a good trip, and Capt. Oakes expresses himself well satisfied with his treatment while here.

—The Kate Putnam, Nashville to Pittsburgh, and Simpson Horner and Tom Farrow from St. Louis, and Armadillo, Pittsburgh to St. Louis, were all at Evansville on Tuesday.

—The Coombs, recently sold at Marshall's sale at Wheeling, has had a short cabin put on and otherwise reconstructed, and will be used as a job towing-boat.

—Mr. Jack Chambers, well known here, owing to ill health, has quit the office of the W. A. Caldwell, and has gone to the Hot Springs, Arkansas, to to recuperate, and at the same time act as an agent of the Arkansas River Packet Company.

—The Great Republic, en route from New Orleans has 3,000 bars of railroad iron and 500 sks of coffee for St. Louis.

—10,103 bales of cotton has come out of Red river from above the "raft" since the opening of navigation. There is fully 1,000 more yet to come.

—On Saturday afternoon the new Wheeling and Parkersburg packet, Science was launched from the shipyard of Wilson & Dunlevy, Wheeling. As she lies in the water, without her machinery, but with more than half her cabin on, she draws only six inches.

—There is a project on foot for the removal of the raft on Red River above Shreveport, which if it should prove successful, will open to good navigation one of the finest planting countries in the world. The Government at one time attempted to remove the obstructions, but, from some cause, failed. The present project is in the hands of those most interested—the planters of Upper Red River—and will hardly fail.

—Captain Jo. McCullough has settled with the insurance companies of Cincinnati for the loss of the Judge Fletcher's machinery, at Louisville.

—The new boat being built for the Cincinnati Mail Company at Howard's shipyard, Jeffersonville, will be ready to launch in about three weeks. She is to be very light, fine and fast.

—Capt. Sam. Beltzhoover, river reporter of the *Republican*, died last night, in the 33d year of his age, of typhoid fever. He had been sick for some time, and his death was not unexpected. He was a young man of great energy and considerable talent, and was kind-hearted, generous and brave to a fault. Among river men he had hosts of friends, and was indeed esteemed by all who knew him.—[*St. Louis Dem.* 21*st.*

River and Weather.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

LOUISVILLE, April 23.—River rising slowly with nine feet eight inches in the canal. Weather clear and pleasant.

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McKeesport Accomdt'n	11:00 A. M.	2:05 P. M.
Ex. to and from Unt'n.	3:00 P. M.	10:10 A. M.
West Newton Accom'd	4:30 P. M.	8:35 A. M.
Braddock's Accomdt'n.	6:15 P. M.	7:50 P. M.
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LEAVE PITTSBURGH.		ARRIV IN PITTSBURGH	
Mail	7:15 a m	Mail	5:40 p m
Express	7:10 p m	Express	6:30 a m
Brady's B Ac	3:00 p m	Bradys B Ac	10:30 a m
1st Soda Works Accomd	10:50 a m	1st Soda Works Accomod'n.	8.20 a m
2d Soda Works Accomod'n.	5:00 p m	2d Soda Works Accomod'n.	3:40 p m
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	Depart.	Arrives.
Mail Express	3:13 a. m.	12.13 a. m.
Fast Line	10:13 a. m.	7.33 p. m.
Fast Express	2:58 p. m.	12:18 a. m.
Mixed Way	5:43 a. m.	6:43 p. m.
McDonald's Acc'n, No. 1	11:28 a. m.	5:33 p. m.
Steubenville Accommod.	3:38 p. m.	9:48 a. m.
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OHIO STUDENTS always vote against Ohio Democracy. So, the Democratic Legislature, last year, resorted to its most potent argument, and disfranchised them, again affirming the same logical necessity at the present session. These are the "Democratic victories" of peace.

THE *State Guard* wastes its time in abortive sneers at "diplomatic" editors. Its readers would much rather have its opinion of a recent defalcation in the revenue service. Failing in that, it will pardon us for the suggestion that *carpet*-knights, who have won their only spurs in Treasury raids, should be dumb among honest men.

SINCE the *State Guard* interests itself in the question of Mr. A. L. RUSSELL'S residency in Allegheny county, perhaps its conductors might be induced to shed some little light upon the very general suspicion, that the dirty trick, which was recently exposed at Washington, was conceived and first set afoot, in certain circles, at Harrisburg, which the management of that journal faithfully represents in the public estimation.

THE Quakers have the Indian contract. They are entrusted with two of the three Superintendencies, and sixteen of the Agencies, covering practically all the field of especial difficulty. They are expected to keep the peace, to civilize and Christianize the Indians, protect them from bad white men, and, greatest task of all, to inspire them with confidence in the tender mercies and good faith of their Great Father at Washington. This is a large contract, even for that excellent denomination which has so often illustrated its own self-denial, its courage to endure for righteousness' sake, and the wonderful power of its persuasive influence over the ignorant and depraved.

TRACK-LAYING has been commenced on the "Bear Creek" or Shenango and Allegheny Railroad, which is to connect a point on the Allegheny river, in Butler county, probably near Martinsburg, with a point near Greenville, Mercer county, intersecting there the Erie & Pittsburgh, and the Atlantic roads, and the Erie Canal. A new and valuable coal-field is to be opened by this road, with large deposits of iron-ore, and great local advantages in the way of a connection with the Lake at Erie. The people of the intersected districts very reasonably anticipate the speedy and large improvement of their material resources, while Erie county, with equal justice, looks for the fresh impetus to be thus given to her coal-traffic.

WE WISH again to remind our readers that Decoration Day approaches. It is more than a month in the future still, but that is a short time to devote to thoughts of the brave men who fought and died for their country. When the day arrives we hope that not a grave will be left unadorned with flowers—fit emblems of the sweetness and beauty of a patriot's memory. Music, too, will lay its offerings upon the altars of a reverent gratitude on that day, and what melody could be more appropriate than that written, by one who fought with them, in honor of the dead braves, and dedicated to one of the bravest of the survivors of the grand armies of our Republic?

Lieut. Col. NEVIN, late of the Ninety-third Pennsylvania Volunteers, has composed a song for the 30th of May, and dedicated it to Gen. JOHN A. LOGAN. It is a fit tribute to the "spirits of the brave," and as such it is appropriate music to be sung "on this Decoration Day," "through all the coming years" when we—

"Gather to the ground,
Our soldier's graves around,
And deck each lowly mound
With the fairest flowers o'er."

THE MARY LOWELL.

An American vessel of this name, lying in British waters among the Bahama Islands, and which was at the moment in charge of the British revenue officials, with the seal of the British customs on her hatches, was seized ten days ago, by a Spanish armed ship, and held in defiance of the American flag and of British laws. While the outrage upon the Lizzie Major concerned only our own relations with Spain, the case of the Lowell also involves the British government. For which, in the first instance, we demand our redress from Spain; in the second case, we can hold England alone responsible. She had the Lowell in her lawful custody, and it is for her to demand satisfaction for the Spanish outrage upon her flag, making in turn her own reparation to our government. We have demanded this reparation at London; the English may settle their own affairs at Madrid. But Spain is thus doubly in hot water with two great nations, one of which has ever been her hereditary friend! The situation becomes interesting.

THE LOGIC OF A FACT.

The Rebel element in Georgia denies the right of colored men to hold office. Their State code, for which they claim a still valid authority, permits the suffrage to that race, but withholds from them the right of official trust, upon the plea that this code was re-affirmed in the adoption of their present Constitution. They won a temporary triumph over the Federal authority, in expelling the colored members of their Legislature, as intruders without title, yet, with a glaring inconsistency, claim State rights in the Union by virtue of the ratification of the XIVth Article, which was only accomplished by the same colored vote, before its expulsion from that body.

Congress has evaded the issue thus made by Georgia rebels, and the State remains in an anomalous position, neither in nor altogether out of her practical relations to the Union. But the President now favors them with his views, clearly expressed and to the point, as is his usual way. For Assessor of the revenue in the Third, which is the wealthiest district in the State, he has commissioned a colored man, whom the Senate confirms. The fact will be worth a score of arguments, to the reviving common-sense of Georgia. Her people will do well to take the advice of Governor WISE, and no longer "kick against the pricks." A sharp thorn thus already projects itself from the hand of Federal power, and those rebels will be stupidly blind who impale themselves upon the cruel points of an irresistible destiny for the entire Republic. Logic, sense and selfishness all lay with these points, and not against them. How long will the recusants prefer to bleed and suffer, rather than to learn the wise profit of submission.

A NEW RAILWAY POWER.

The efforts of our people, representing the general interests of the Upper Ohio Valley and of its navigable tributaries to secure the freedom of these natural highways from artificial and needless obstructions, do not meet with the approval of the Washington *Reporter*, which is so generous and truthful as to speak thus of Pittsburgh:

Though making the loudest outcries about railroads, of any in the United States, she is without doubt, one of the most narrow-minded and illiberal when put to the test. Like a dog in a manger she will neither build railroads herself, nor allow others to do it. Yet she sends forth a constant howl about want of outlets, monopolies, &c. We hope that her selfish and bigoted policy will meet with signal defeat on every side. We want to see a railroad system adopted which will build them wherever they are needed, without regard to the likes or dislikes of any place or class of people.

Because Washington has its own Hempfield road, should it deny the freedom of this river to a people less fortunate? We had enough to contend with already, without the *Reporter* intervening to dash our struggling hopes. Was it not enough that we must fight a powerful corporation and meet the frowns of an unfriendly Senate, that our cotemporary should give us this crushing blow? We fear there may be some unworthy jealousy of Pittsburgh, in the great Washington breast. The *Reporter* would do a more graceful thing in emulating our own generosity. We do not grudge to that borough its Hempfield railway. We would not even rob it of that excellent institution of learning which has just chosen there its exclusive seat. On the contrary, we unite our congratulations with their own. The College could not have a nobler field. If its faculty will establish a chair of Scientific Instruction, Pittsburgh will aid in its endowment, suggesting, as a topic for the first course of lectures, the value of the dog as a railway-builder, with his special fitness as a railway-obstruction. This canine element in the railway system, so adroitly suggested by the *Reporter*, presents an inviting field of enquiry, and it should be exhausted forthwith.

CANADIAN PETROLEUM.

The Titusville *Herald* understands that a new de-odorizing process has been successfully applied to the Canadian petroleum, making it almost as good, in point of color and smell, as the Pennsylvania oils. Heretofore there has been but little sale for these oils; they were dark and offensive, and totally unfit for successful competition with our oils in any markets, excepting those of the Dominion, where the extreme cheapness of the domestic production procured for them a limited sale. But this new discovery has given fresh life to the oil interests of that country; new and extensive refineries are to be built, and the refiners are making preparations on a large scale for shipping their products to Europe.

Although the insignificance of the demand has reduced and discouraged production hitherto, there is said to be a stock of nearly 400,000 barrels of this oil now in Canada, and a daily production of nearly 500 barrels, which can be easily very largely increased. This oil, when refined, can be brought into direct competition, in the European markets, with our own oils, to which it is almost equal in quality, and having been purchased by refiners at an exceedingly low price, can be very cheaply sold.

The *Herald* says:

The importance of these operations, and the effect they will have on our product, can scarcely be over estimated, and the producers should give them their early and earnest attention. For, not only will the stock of oil in the Dominion be brought into competition with our product, but also a largely increased production, caused by the advance in price. It is true that the Petroleum product of the Dominion contains but from twenty-five to fifty per cent. of burning oil, but the abundance in which it exists and the comparatively slight cost at which it can be produced, overcome to a great extent that obstacle.

The danger to the interests of Pennsylvania will be understood when it is known that the development in the Dominion has only served to show that vast quantities can be obtained at any time, while, here, the oil is becoming scarcer from year to year, continually lessening the average yield of the wells, and enhancing the cost of production; and that cheap water and railway transportation are easily obtained for the product of the Dominion from the places of production, while here, owing to the combinations of railway companies, our product is made to pay excessive freight charges. These circumstances offset in a great measure the very inferior quality of the product of the Dominion, and will, if they are not changed, discriminate effectively against our product.

Thus, it seems that to avert the threatening dangers of successful competition, cheap rates of freight are necessary in order to put Pennsylvania oil at the seabord at as nearly as possible the same price as can be done for Canadian oils. To achieve this end, the *Herald* thinks the hearty and united efforts of the producers is all that is necessary. The Producers' Association represents real estate and capital equal to $100,000,000, and an annual product of more than twenty per cent. of that amount, a fraction of the wealth of the Commonwealth which certainly ought to have a good deal of weight if properly applied.

THE NEW OPINIONS OF VIRGINIA.

Aristocratic exclusiveness, the insane ambition of the slave-holding class, and the determined malignity of Southern rebellion have had, in the past, no champion and oracle more conspicuous for his zeal than HENRY A. WISE, of Virginia. As its Governor, he found it a labor of love to hang JOHN BROWN, for his efforts to inaugurate, forcibly, a revision of the Virginian policy, in the interests of humanity and civilization. As a high officer in the civil and military service of the rebel confederacy, he gave all the energies of his nature to the subsequent rebellion, which strove to retard the onward progress of liberty, in its march over the lingering barbarism of the "domestic institution." Mr. WISE gave all his great abilities, all the useful capacities of his active life, his fortune and his own brilliant name—with these, the lives of two sons dying to save a cause already lost—and all, as he now confesses, in a vain "resistance to the Almighty hand of Providence." Himself physically as politically a wreck, the Ex-Governor records, in a letter dated March 31st, his humble and hearty acceptance of the great results of the eight years past, and admonishes the people of Virginia to make haste and submit to a Divinely ordered dispensation. He writes:

The long agitation of the question of slavery, its history before the war, and the war itself, convinced me that an exodus from African bondage was obliged to be by the Almighty hand of Providence. God knew what poor finite minds North and South did not foresee—that nothing short of fire and sword, of war and its blood and violence, could emancipate negro slaves on this continent, in a country governed as the United States, in the form of constitutional republics bound together by a constitutional union. By no steps in normal times could Congress have ever abolished slavery; and the States would never have commenced emancipation by peaceful means, gradual or otherwise, for reasons which it would be irritating now to state. It is sufficient to say that too many in the South fought for nothing but the right of property in slaves, and it is time that the North was informed that by far the most respectable portion of the Southern people fought for something far more precious than the legal privilege of being the masters of slaves. They fought for the more glorious privilege of self-government. They were willing to emancipate slaves in their own time and own way, but were not willing to allow Congress to regulate their domestic government and concerns for them, either as to slavery or anything else. Thus there were double restraints against emancipation, which could not be removed in time to prevent either dissolution of the Union or civil war. The war was a national necessity, permitted by Divine Providence to prevent (in the end, I hope,) greater evils than the war itself.

He adds that, since slave-emancipation in these States was ordained by an Almighty wisdom, no good citizen should resist the decree. And he thus appeals for peace and concord among the Virginian people:

The old strifes must cease and be hushed. Next, charity, toleration, brotherly and patriotic kindness. It is not for me to upbraid you, or you me for the offences and injuries of the war. Slavery was its cause, was our weakness if not our wickedness, and God has purged out its sin and satanic influence by fire and blood. His fire and blood, for the war was His if the sin was mine. But woe unto those, on either side, who shall cause the fires to burn and the blood to heat after the sin and causes of woes have been burnt to ashes. We must not keep the fires ignited—the ashes must be allowed to cool, and then, as from battle fields, the green herbage may be made to grow more luxuriant than ever; so good fruit may be made to spring even from the cinders and ashes of this horrid war.

THE HONOR OF THE PRESS.

When Sir ROBERT PEEL retired from the English Premiership, in 1835, he wrote to the London *Times*, cordially acknowledging his "deep sense of the powerful support" which his administration had received from that journal—"a support the more valuable because it was impartial and discriminating." To which, this response was made, and it presents the true standard of an influential journalism everywhere and for all times:

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With much respect,
I have the honor to be, Sir, &c.,
THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES.

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Much valuable instruction is imparted in these papers, outside of the domain of mere physical culture. While the advantages of muscular development is held up to view in decided language, moral culture is associated with means to attain physical development. Both are happily blended. The principle of cause and effect are also here demonstrated that healthful exercise, associated with purity of morals, will prevent disease and misery to a great extent. The volume sparkles with keen thoughts, and satire, and indicates that the Professor is a good observer.

THE LAST ATHENIAN. Translated from the Swedish of Victor Rydberg. By Wm. W. Thomas, Jr., late United States Consul at Gothenburg, Sweden. Published by T. B. Peterson & Brothers, Philadelphia. For sale by W. A. Gildenfenny, Pittsburgh.

This is a novel of considerable merit, and not of the sensational type. The fact that Frederika Brenner urged its publication, as a book of great praise, is note wortby. It portrays features of that age in graphic words, in which the author reproduces the customs, manners and habits of the people. The story opens in Athens in the middle of the fourth century, giving pictures of the social and household life of the times in which they lived. The struggles of the early Christians are interesting and instructive.

BY-WAYS OF EUROPE. By Bayard Taylor. Published by G. P. Putnam & Son, New York. For sale by R. S. Davis & Co., 193 Liberty street, Pittsburgh.

Bayard Taylor as a writer and a lecturer needs no eulogy from us. He has delivered all the lectures in this city, he has ever prepared and has always been a great favorite. His works are equally popular. The delightful impressions fixed in our mind many years ago, on reading his "Views Afoot," still remain, and his subsequent volumes of travel have increased our admiration of the man. We almost regret that "By-ways" will probably be his last book of travels, but expect literature will be enriched in other ways, by his fruitful and gifted pen. This volume is rich in thought, and contains graphic pictures of society and of interesting places. Places not usually visited have been described in Mr. Taylor's charming style. The dainty bits which we have printed prove the success of the book.

THE WAVERLY NOVELS. By Sir Walter Scott, Bart. Published by D. Appleton & Co., New York. For sale by S. A. Clarke & Co., Wood street, Pittsburgh.

The merits of Scott's novels have been decided long ago, that it is unnecessary to eulogise them. They are monumental of the gifted author's wonderful creative powers of mind. This excellent edition, as we have repeatedly stated before, has many excellencies; beautifully printed on white paper, clear type, elegantly bound, and handsomely illustrated. This is the fourth volume of the series, and contains "The Bride of Lammermoor," "The Abbott," "The Betrothed," "Peveril of the Peak." Two more volumes will complete the set, and for the six volumes only about ten dollars is asked, a very low price indeed.

OUR CHATHAM STREET UNCLE, Or, the three Golden Balls. By Mrs. J. McNair Wright. Published by Henry Hoyt, Boston. For sale by Book sellers generally.

In this little story we have an inside view of a pawn-brokers establishment, in which many curious things are developed. Jewish character is strongly marked, indeed all the characters are vividly drawn, and reveal the power of saving grace in the case of those who have forsaken Judaism for Christ. Like all the books of this house, there is a good moral tone pervading its pages.

TALES FROM ALSACA; or, Scenes and Portraits from Life in the Days of the Reformation as drawn from Old Chronicles. Translated from the German. Published by Robert Carter and Brothers, New York. For sale by S. A. Clarke & Co., Wood Street, Pittsburgh.

This collection of tracts, written at varying intervals, attained a wide circulation in pamphlet form among French and German Protestants. The old legends of that country are interwoven with historical facts, which gives the lights and shades of the Reformation in glowing colors. These narratives go back to a period of four hundred years previous to the days of Luther, and step by step the reader is led to the period of the Reformation itself, with its conflicts and victories. It is a work of real interest, and of such a character that you can safely entrust to young people. It is an excellent work for Sunday School libraries.

EDELWEISS. A Story. By Berthold Anerbach. Translated by Ellen Frothingham. Published by Roberts Bros., Boston. For sale by R. S. Davis & Co., 193 Liberty street, Pittsburgh.

This is a clever story, and will be read with thrilling interest. The *Edelweiss* is the flower which grows on almost inaccessible Alpine heights, in which great risk is involved in gathering it. In the words of the author, the "story will tell why the young mother asks this little plant of her boy, when he is starting for foreign lands." We read page after page of this story with tender interest, and doubtless many of our readers on perusing this work will feel in the same way as we did. This is the fourth volume of the "Handy-Volume" series.

THE AMERICAN LAW REVIEW. April, 1869. Published by Little, Brown & Co., Boston. Subscriptions received by Kay & Co., 65 Wood street, Pittsburgh.

We have heretofore commended this excellent law publication, not only for the valuable papers each issue contains for members of the profession, but for the important articles of interest to the general reader. It is high toned, and an authority among lawyers. The principal papers consist of "International Law," "The Legal Qualifications of Representatives," "Misrepresentations," "Copyright," "Selected Digest of State Reports," "Digest of Cases of Bankruptcy," etc.

TWO LIFE PATHS. A romance. By L. Muhlbach. Published by D. Appleton & Co., New York. For sale by S. A. Clarke & Co., Wood street, Pittsburgh.

The hostorical romances of Muhlbach have attained great popularity, and a wide circulation. Historical events, and persons noted for their high position in life, are woven together in graphic words, and cham the reader by their elegance and beauty of thought. This romance will be read with much interest by the admirers of this author.

SHORT STORIES FOR SPARE MOMENTS. These stories are selected from Lippincott's Magazine, being the second series of these charming papers. They will repay reading, having been culled from a rich field of matter in the late monthly issues of this excellent magazine. Capital companions on the railroad, or to occupy a spare hour in the evening.

LORING, of Boston, sends us, through Miner, "From our Ireland," by Miss Thackeray. Like similar publications of "Loring's Tales of the Day," it is a capital thing, and will richly repay the reader.

—The Newark (New Jersey) carpenters have, by striking, obtained $3,75 per day.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

—The fires in the Gold Hill Mines (Nevada) are not yet extinguished. Yellow Jacket has been closed and preparations were making to deluge the mine with water.

—A deputation of Virginians, with General Lee acting as Chairman, is on a visit to Baltimore to lay before the citizens the importance of extending the Virginia Valley Railroad, and urge the assistance and co-operation of the city.

—The stockholders of the Union Pacific Railroad held a meeting in Boston, yesterday morning, and after adopting the different amendments to the charter, authorized by Congress, adjourned until to-day for a choice officers.

—The firm of Mayer Bros., wholesale tobacco dealers, of New York and Louisville, have failed. The liabilities of the New York house amount to $120,000, and those of the Louisville to $80,000, making a total of $200,000. R. Carrington, Louisville, retail dry goods dealer, has also failed.

—On Thursday, at Albany, N. Y., prevailed the greatest flood since 1857, and the water was still rising at the rate of one inch per hour. The Hudson River road is submerged at different points, and several bridges on the Central road have been carried away and travel entirely suspended. The flood along the Valley of the Mohawk is the greatest ever known. The Central Railroad track is under water for miles. No trains have run since Tuesday night. The Rensaeller and Saratoga Railroad is five feet under water.

—Yokahoma advices to March 13th state that seditious placards were posted during the night on the Government bulletin boards, warning parties in power they would be murdered unless they abandon their tyrannical acts. The authorities, in view of the threatened outbreak, placed troops at the custom house and bonded warehouses, and keep soldiers patroling the streets night and day. Another rebellion against the Mikado appeared imminent.

—Detective Angel, from Plattsburgh, N. Y., arrested a man named Hiram E. Barstow, near St. Paul, Minn., charged with defraunidg the Government by smuggling horses and other valuable property from Canada into the United States. Barstow had been arrested at Detroit and turned over to the United States Marshal at that place, and the property seized. He, however, escaped and went to Mankato, Minn., where he has lived for some time with his family in first-class style. He was formerly in business in Boston, Mass., where he victimized several prominent merchants to the amount of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars, and fled to Canada.

—A Montreal (Canada) dispatch says: The order for the withdrawal of the British troops from Canada, in May next, is said by well informed persons to be held in abeyance for awhile. There will be, however, considerable change in the military stations, and what is both curious and unaccountable, is the transfer of troops from Montreal to Quebec, which has been ordered. The general order from the Horse Guards, directing the return of the regiments to England and to foreign stations, has never been withdrawn, and considerable uncertainty prevails in consequence. The dispatch from London saying the United States had made a demand upon the British Government for an explanation of the Mary Lowell seizure is looked upon as another speck of war. The French Canadians continue to leave for the United States. The annexation question is still agitated with spirit.

TRUSSES AND HERNIA.

The sad and deplorable condition of many who are afflicted with hernia or rupture of the bowels, calls loudly for some efficient and unmistakable remedy that will not only in every case give efficient relief, but in many cases effect a radical and thorough cure. These cases of hernia have become so frequent, that it is computed that one-sixth of the male population are said to be troubled, in some way or another, with this terrible ailment; and in very many cases do not know where to apply for an appropriate remedy, oftentimes not knowing whether an appliance is really needed or not; and if it should be needed, they often do not know where or to whom they should make application. The world is full of Trusses for the retention and cure of this lamentable evil, oftentimes an incontestable proof of their total and inadequate fitness to relieve the sufferer. This need not be; Dr. Keyser, at his new medicine store, No. 167 Liberty street, is abundantly supplied with every appliance, needful to the retention and relief of this terrible affliction, so that every one can be properly fitted at a moderate cost, with the full assurance that the appliance is the best that the mechanical department of surgery can afford. The Doctor has pursued the investigation of hernia with more than ordinary care for over thirty years, so that the afflicted can place implicit reliance on his skill and integrity with the full assurance that they will not only get the best truss, suitable to the case, but likewise a thorough and efficient knowledge of its proper application.

There are many persons who not only sacrifice their health, but even their lives, for want of a proper truss, or a truss properly applied. Strangulated and irreducable rupture, is a far more common ailment now than in former years; and may we not justly arrive at the conclusion, that its frequency is often occasioned by the neglect and carelessness of the sufferers themselves. No one would be regarded as sane or excusable who would go for a whole winter without the proper clothing to shield them from the inclemency of the weather, but, at the same time, it is thought a light affair to suffer for years with a protrusion that not only subjects the person to inconvenience, but even places life itself in jeopardy. Those of our readers who may be unfortunate to need appliances of this kind cannot act more wisely than to cut this advertisement out and preserve it, so as to enable them to retain the place where such important preservers of life and health are to be procured.

DR. KEYSER'S NEW MEDICINE STORE, NO. 167 LIBERTY STREET, TWO DOORS FROM ST. CLAIR. CONSULTATION ROOMS, No. 120 PENN STREET, from 10 A. M. until 4 P. M.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LEONARD S. JOHNS, Attorney- AT LAW AND NOTARY PUBLIC, having removed from his old stand, No. 79 Fourth avenue to No. 85 FIFTH AVENUE, Pittsburgh, (opposite GAZETTE office,) will particularly attend to the Collections of Accounts and Rents, and will as usual take depositions, Acknowledgments, Probates, &c., and execute Conveyancing and all Legal Writings. ap21:h76

☞ **FOR COUNTY TREASURER**

COL. J. B. COPELAND,

Of Elizabeth township, will be a candidate for the above office, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

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NOTICE.—Whereas, letters of administration on the estate of CHARLES FAUSBENDER, late of the city of Allegheny, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to present them without delay, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment thereof to

MARY FAUSBENDER,
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WEDNESDAY MORNING, APRIL 28th, at 10 o'clock, will be sold at WM. BARNES & CO., No. 89 Third Avenue, between Wood and Market street, to close up partnership, the entire stock on hand of STAMPED and JAPANNED TINWARE and Tinner's Stock, Ovens, Fixtures, &c., &c. The attention of the Trade is invited to this closing out sale of valuable stock.

ap23:h88 A. McILWAINE, Auctioneer.

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STATEMENT

OF THE

Merchants' and Manufacturers' National Bank.

PITTSBURGH, April, 22d, 1869.

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 800.000 00
M. and M. Nat. Bank Circulation	32,871 00
M. and M. Bank State Circulation	19,846 00
Due other Banks	58,251 91
Due Depositors	370,525 25
Dividends Unpaid	4,388 50
Profits and Earnings	238,523 69
	$2,124,406 35

ASSETS.

Notes and Bills Discounted	$818,346 02
Banking House	38,251 62
Taxes and Expenses	8,641 70
Due by other Banks	98,702 43
U. S. Government Securities	810,000 00
Specie Legal Ten Notes $268,294 00	
National Currency 82,167 58	350,461 58
	$2,124,406 35

ap23 h46 JOHN SCOTT, JR., Cashier.

REPORT

OF THE

ALLEGHENY NATIONAL BANK.

PITTSBURGH, April 17, 1869.

ASSETS.

Notes and Bills Discounted	$ 668,067 37
Bonds and Mortgages	55,592 19
United States Bonds deposited to secure Circulation	500,000 00
Specie and other lawful money	106,400 00
Cash Items, Clearing House Checks, &c	65,333 62
Circulating Notes of other National Banks	7,835 00
Circulating Notes of other State Banks	1,094 00
Due by Banks and Bankers	129,825 84
Real Estate	71,828 76
Taxes and Expenses	8,928 00
	$1,614,904 76

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 500,000 00
National Circulation	434,277 00
State Circulation	9,356 00
Individual Deposits	491,153 36
Dividends Unpaid	2,153 50
Surplus Fund and Earnings	173,754 84
Due to Banks and Bankers	4,210 06
	$1,614,904 76

The above is a true abstract from Report made to the Comptroller of the Currency.

R. W. MACKEY, Cashier.

Signed. JOHN CALDWELL, Jr., E. W. COOK, C. W. BATCHELOR. } Directors.

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STATEMENT

OF THE

IRON CITY NATIONAL BANK

Of Pittsburgh.

PITTSBURGH, April 19, 1869.

ASSETS:

Loans and Discounts	$ 793,963 55
U. S. Securities	495,000 00
Banking House and Lot	20,000 00
Due from Banks and Bankers	85,829 50
Expenses and U. S. Taxes	12,865 62
Legal Tenders and Coin, &c	165,744 71
	$1,573,403 38

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 400,000 00
State Circulation	11,926 00
National Circulation	359,788 00
Due Depositors	472,618 13
Due to Banks and Bankers	8,609 58
Surplus Funds and Profits	320,461 67
	$1,573,403 38

JNO. MAGOFFIN, Cashier.

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REPORT OF THE

CONDITION OF THE

EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK

Of Pittsburgh, Pa.,

At the close of business on the 17th day of April 1869.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$2,077,011 22
U.S. bonds to secure Circulation	940 000 00
Due from Approved Association in New York	146,698 68
Due from other Nat'l Banks	6,839 34
Due from other Banks and Bankers	1,847 07
Real Estate	56,500 00
Taxes and Expenses	20,346 67
Cash Items	4,468 07
Exchange for Clearing House	24,950 92
Bills of other National Banks	2,790 00
Fractional Currency	15,816 35
Coin	6,000 00
Legal Tendar Notes	167,840 00
	$3,479,108 32

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	$1,700,000 00
Surplus Fund	340 000 00
Other Profits	133,993 71
National circulation outstanding	800,000 00
State circulation outstanding	30,316 00
Individual deposits	431,458 12
Due to National Banks	29 896 07
Due to other Banks and Bankers	3 444 42
	$3,469,108 32

I certify that the above statement is correct.

ap23:h91 A. LONG, Assistant Secretary.

STATEMENT

OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH.

As shown by its books at the close of business. APRIL 19, 1869.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$1,394,211 37
United States Bonds	455,000 00
State Bonds	12,812 50
Due from Banks and Bankers	294,864 68
Specie and Legal Tender Notes	273,431 29
National Currency	29,469 17
Cash items and Remittances	11,331 03
Real Estate	37,000 00
Expense	272 73
	$2,468,392 77

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 500,000 00
Due Individual Depositors	1,194,065 43
Due Banks and Bankers	143,736 30
Circulation	360,000 00
Contingent Fund and Profits	270,591 04
	$2,468,392 77

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true abstract from the Report to the Comptroller of the Currency.

ap23:h90 J. D. SCULLY, Cashier.

LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING IN BUCHANAN POSTOFFICE, April 23d, 1869:

A	Hall C A	Paul J W	
Adams Wm	Hickey Wm	Plew M	
Allen J	Harmony W 2	R	
B	Hoyte M M	Reed J	
Bacon L	Hamilton J	Rees D T	
Brown Jno	J	Rigg S A	
Black E B	James T J	Rowland Wm	
Barrett & Bros	Joyce L	S	
Burke Mary	K	Steel A J	
Banford Clara	Kirk F	Spire M 2	
Brown S	L	Steel W J & Bros	
Burns J S	Linley F	Simpson N	
Brady R D	Ledger D	Scott J	
C	M	Smith T	
Clark R	Morley R V	Smith & Eisle	
Cowan K	Mitchelon S	Smith Jno	
Callahan T	Mitchell J	Smith A E	
Callahan M	Murphy E J	T	
Corns R	Mc	Torley A	
Cox R M's	McSwiggen A	W	
D	McKain Wm	Weyrick R	
Davis P for S F	McPeak A M	Wilson T	
Donoune J P	McClurg T J	Woodburn J	
Davis J F	McCabe M	Wash T or H	
Davis M	McDonald R	Willett Wm	
Davis D O	McClure H A	Williams C	
Doyle J hn	McKinzie J	Wilson E	
E	N	Weaver C C	
Edwards D	Nixon R & Co	Y	
Eaton M M	Nidick E	Young J 2	
English M 2	O	Young Jos	
F	Oyer A	Young W A	
Frost P	P	Young R	
Finch W E	Page J H	Young & Co	
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Gray L	Powers J W		
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PENESYLVANIA, ss:

In the name and by the authority of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

A PROCLAMATION!

Two Thousand Dollars Reward for the Arrest of a Certain William Brooks, one of the Murderers of Theodore Broadhead.

WHEREAS, The Senate and House of Representatives have enacted the following preamble and joint resolution, viz:

"Resolution authorizing the Governor to offer a reward for escaped convicts.

"*Whereas*, William Brooks was convicted in the Court of Oyer and Terminer of Monroe county, of the murder of one Theodore Broadhead, and on the second day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, escaped from the county jail of said county; therefore,

"*Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met*, That the Governor be and he is hereby authorized to offer a reward of two thousand dollars for the arrest of said escaped convict, to be distributed by the Executive in such manner as in his judgment will be most conducive to the ends of justice and the execution of the laws." Approved the fourteenth day of April, A. D. 1869.

And whereas, The reputation of the Government, the peace and security of its citizens, the obligations of justice and the execution of the laws, require that the said William Brooks should be brought to undergo the sentence of the court aforesaid:

Now, therefore I, JOHN W. GEARY, Governor of the said Commonwealth, in compliance with the said joint resolution, and by virtue of the power and authority vested in me, do issue this my proclamation, hereby offering a reward of Two Thousand Dollars to any person or persons who shall apprehend and secure the said William Brooks, to be paid in compliance with the provisions of the aforesaid resolution. And I hereby call on all officers of justice and good citizens everywhere to be vigilant and unremitting in their efforts for the apprehension of the said William Brooks and his return to the proper authorities.

Given under my hand and the great seal of the State, at Harrisburg, this twenty-first day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, and of the Commonwealth the ninety-third. L. S.

JNO. W. GEARY.

By the Governor.
F. JORDAN,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

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A large assortment,

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DISSOLUTION.—The Co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts will be settled by W. C. ARMSTRONG, who continues the business at No. 25 Market street. M. J. FETZER,

ap9:h29 W. C. ARMSTRONG.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned is this day dissolved by the withdrawal from the firm of John Hartmus. The business will be conducted as heretofore under the name and style of A. Steller & Sons.

A. STELLER,
JOHN HARTMUS,
M. G. STELLER,
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March 13th, 1869. ap16:h56

INDIA RUBBER BELTING, Hose, Steam Packing and Gaskets of the Boston Belting Companies manufacture at prices as low as this quality of goods can be bought of the manufacturer. A full stock always on hand at the India Rubber Depot, 26 and 28 Sixth street. J. & H. PHILLIPS,

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NOTICES.

☞ **AT A MEETING OF THE** Business men of Fifth Avenue (late Pennsylvania) it was resolved to organize a BANK, under the State Law of Pennsylvania. All those wishing to take Stock are invited to attend the next meeting on

TUESDAY, APRIL 27th, at 8 O'CLOCK P. M.,

Over Whitehead's Grocery Store, corner Pride street and Fifth avenue, (late Pennsylvania,)

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☞ **RAILWAY NOTICE.—THE** First Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the "Federal Street and Pleasant Valley Passenger Railway Company," will be held at Gray's Hotel, corner of Jackson street and Irwin avenue, Second ward, Allegheny, on TUESDAY EVENING, May 4th, at 7 P. M., for the election of a Board of Directors, at which time the Stockholders will receive their certificates of stock. By order of Board of Directors,

ap22:h85 W. M. CLANEY, Secretary.

U. S. CUSTOM HOUSE, PORT OF PITTSBURGH, SURVEYOR'S OFFICE, April 21, 1869.

☞ **NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,** that SEALED PROPOSALS, accompanied by proper guarantees, according to forms to be furnished on application at this office, will be received thereat, until 12 o'clock meridian, on the

FIRST TUESDAY IN JUNE NEXT,

For the supply of the Marine Hospital at (or near) this city with the articles of provision, medicine, &c., enumerated in said forms. The quantities stated are estimated with reference to the usual number of patients in the hospital; but the United States reserves the right to take more or less of said articles, accordingly as they may be actually required. If the articles delivered at the Hospital are not, in the judgment of the physician, of the best quality, and adapted to the hospital, he will be at liberty to reject the same, to purchase other articles in their stead, and to charge the contractor with any excess in cost over contract prices.

THOMAS STEEL,

ap22:h82 Surveyor.

PITTSBURGH, FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R. Co., OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, PITTSBURGH, PA., March 24, 1869.

☞ **THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS** OF THIS COMPANY have declared the regular Quarterly Dividend (No. 24,) of two and one-half per cent., free of Government tax, on the capital stock, for the Quarter ending March 31st, payable on and after MONDAY, April 27, proximo, at the office of Winslow, Lanier & Co., No. 27 Pine street, to those registered at New York, and at the office of the Treasurer, to those registered at Pittsburgh.

The Transfer Books will close on Monday, April 12, at 2 P. M., and re-open Tuesday, April 27, at 10 A. M.

F. M. HUTCHINSON,

ap16:h53 Secretary.

☞ **TO CARPENTERS AND** BUILDERS.—Sealed proposals for the erection of

TWO STATION HOUSES,

For City of Pittsburgh, one to be erected in Twelfth and one in Seventeenth Ward of said city, will be received at the Hardware Store of J. & G. PEARSON, No. 47 Diamond street, between Wood and Smithfield streets, where Plans and Specifications can be seen. All proposals to be in by 14 o'clock, April 24th, 1869.

By order of Committee.

JOHN H. HARE,
JOS. MARSHALL,
GEO. R. PEARSON.

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☞ **PUBLIC NOTICE.**

Pursuant to an act of Assembly, approved the 20th of March, 1869, entitled "an act relating to interments in Trinity Church-yard, Pittsburgh," Public Notice is hereby given of the intention of the minister, wardens and vestry of Trinity (Episcopal) Church after the 10th of MAY, proximo, to use a part of the grave-ground belonging to or connected with said church, as sites for new erections of Church and Chapel and for grades, and that Messrs. JOHN H. SHOENBERGER, JAMES M. COOPER, CALVIN ADAMS and JOSIAH KING, of the vestry, have been appointed a Committee to confer and arrange with the friends and relatives of all persons buried in the ground required for the purposes set forth in the act of Assembly aforesaid, for their retention under the new buildings or removal to other parts of the lot or to one of the rural cemeteries. One or more of the Committee may be found at the vestry room of the church at 3 to 5 o'clock P. M., on every WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY until the 15th of MAY, at which time and place parties interested will please call.

By order of the Vestry.

JOSIAH KING,

ap16:h59 Junior Warden.

☞ **PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD CO.,**

TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT,
PHILADELPHIA, PA., April 2, 1869.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY.

All Stockholders, as registered on the Books of this Company on the 30th day of April, 1869, will be entitled to subscribe for TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT. of their respective interests in New Stock, at par, as follows:

First. Fifty per cent. at the time of subscription, between the 15th day of May, 1869, and the 30th day of June, 1869.

Second. Fifty per cent. between the 15th day of November, 1869, and the 31st day of December, 1869; or, if Stockholders should prefer, the whole amount may be paid up at the time of subscription, and each instalment so paid up shall be entitled to a pro rata of the Dividend that may be declared on full shares.

Third. That every Stockholder holding less than four shares, shall be entitled to subscribe for one share; and those holding more than a multiple of four shares shall be entitled to subscribe for an additional share.

Fourth. All shares upon which instalments are yet to be paid under Resolution of May 13, 1868, will be entitled to their allotment of the Twenty-five per cent. at par, as though they were paid in full.

ap15:h46 THOMAS T. FIRTH, Treasurer.

☞ **NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** to all OWNERS OF DRAYS, CARTS, CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, &c., (whether resident or non resident,) in the City of Pittsburgh, to pay their Licenses at this office FORTHWITH, in accordance with an Act of Assembly approved March 30, 1860, and an ordinance of the Councils of the City of Pittsburgh, passed April 16, 1860.

All Licenses not paid on or before MAY 15, 1869, will be placed in the hands of a police officer for collection, subject to a collection fee of 50 cents, and all persons who neglect or refuse to take out Licenses will be subject to a penalty double the amount of the license, to be recovered before the Mayor.

The old metal plates of last year must be returned at the time Licenses are taken out, or 25 cents additional will be charged on each License.

RATES OF LICENSE:

Each one horse vehicle	$ 7.50
Each two horse vehicle	12.00
Each four horse vehicle	15.00
Each two horse hack	15.00

Omnibus and Timber Wheels drawn by two horses, $18.00 each. One dollar extra will be charged for each additional horse used in any of the above vehicles. A. J. COCHRAN,

fe12:e46:MWF City Treasurer.

FOR SALE.

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QUAKER CITY, best in the city;
WHITE ROSE CHOICE FAMILY,
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For particulars, enquire at 87 Grant street.

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NOTICE OF

CO-PARTNERSHIP.

The undersigned have this day formed a co-partnership under the name and style of

F. SELLERS & CO.,

and will continue the Provision and Lard Oil business as heretofore.

F. SELLER,
J. L. DUNSEATH.

PITTSBURGH, March 10, 1869. mh30:g55

BUTTER.—10 Boxes Fresh Dairy Roll Butter, just received by express.

J. B. CANFIELD, 141 First avenue.

☞ *NOTICES—"To Let," "For Sale," "Lost," "Wants," "Found," "Boarding," &c., not exceeding FOUR LINES each will be inserted in these columns once for TWENTY-FIVE CENTS; each additional line FIVE CENTS.*

WANTED---HELP.

WANTED.—WHITEWASHER —A GOOD WHITEWASHER can obtain a job by applying at THIS OFFICE between 9 and 10 o'clock.

WANTED—A Nurse Woman to take care of children. One accustomed to children, kind and careful, preferred. References required. Apply at No. 65 Beaver street, one door from Ohio, Allegheny City.

WANTED—HELP.—AT EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, No. 1 St. Clair Street, BOYS GIRLS and MEN, for different kinds of employment. Persons wanting help of all kinds can be supplied on short notice.

WANTS.

WANTED — AGENTS — TO make an arrangement with a few reliable Men to act as State Agents for the sale of Dr. Ashbaugh's "Wonder of the World." This remedy is sold on the package system, not to be paid for until fully tested. I pay good Agents $60 per month, and large commission to distribute packages among families and to a few good men I will make a special arrangement for State Agencies. No capital required, but must give surety for capital placed in their hands. I furnish the capital. For confidential terms call personally, for a few days, on J. C. TILTON, 96½ Fourth avenue. ap3-tf

WANTED--A Cook and chambermaid for a place in the country a short distance from the city. Enquire at 211 Sandusky street, Allegheny city.

WANTED—To Purchase from 5 to 10,000 acres of land in one undivided tract in Arkansas or West Tennessee; must be adapted for farming and manufacturing purposes (waterpower.) Direct, "COLONY," GAZETTE OFFICE.

WANTED—A Situation as Housekeeper in a small family, by a respectable person. Address H. M., GAZETTE.

WANTED—By a young man, a place to learn WAGON BLACKSMITHING and HORSE-SHOEING. Address "A. L.," 63 Boyle street, Allegheny City.

WANTED — ROOM. — A well furnished FRONT ROOM on second floor, fronting on the street, within five minutes' walk of this office, is wanted by two young men. Room with board preferred. Good references given. Address "PAUL," Gazette office, care of box R.

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WANTED.—AGENTS for the sale of the DEXTER WASHING MACHINE. From ten to twenty dollars per day can be made by any active canvasser. Apply at THOMAS MERKELS, opposite the Fair Ground, Penn street.

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WANTED — BOARDERS. — A gentleman and his wife, or two single gentlemen, can find good BOARDING and a very pleasant front room, second floor, by calling at No. 18 Wylie street.

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TO LET.—That Large Store Room, 55 feet deep. Enquire at Twin City Clothing Store, No. 16 St. Clair street.

TO LET.—Neat dwelling of 4 Rooms, Kitchen and Bath Room, with inside closet, dumb waiter, marble mantle in parlor, good yard, shade trees, &c., front and rear, No. 174 South avenue, Allegheny; reached by Rebecca street cars. Rent, $325. Enquire at 82 Third avenue, Pittsburgh.

TO-LET.—The desirable

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No. 595 Penn street, furnished throughout, containing 10 rooms, bath room, &c.; good stable, carriage house, and large yard room. Possession given June 1st. Also, a

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, THURSDAY, April 22, 1869.

Gold after touching 134⅝, declined to 133¾ and closed weak at that. Cash gold is quite plenty from the large disbursements of the Treasury, and the market is beyond the control of speculators.

Government bonds were firm in the morning, but with the decline of gold became weaker. and sold from one-fourth to one-half per cent. lower. There is less desire to buy bonds at present high prices, and a decline in gold would no doubt operate against any further advance for the present.

Stocks are dull and lower; the market opened at a decline, suddenly advanced to the highest quotation of last Friday, and closed at a considerable decline.

Money is easier, but business shows no signs of improvement.

Quotations as received by Ph. R. Mertz: Gold, 134¾; Silver, 126; Eighty-one's, 117⅜; Five Twenties, 1862, 121; do 1864, 116½; do 1865, 118½; do 1865, Consols, 115½; do 1867, ——; do 1868, ——; Ten Forties, 106½; New York Central, 62⅞; Erie, —; Reading, 94⅝; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad, 32⅝; Ohio & Mississippi, 33½; Michigan Southern, 93¾; Cleveland & Pittsburgh, 92; Chicago & Rock Island, 36¾; Chicago & North Western, 83¾; Chicago & North Western Preferred, 96½; Adams Express Company, 62; Merchants' Union Express, 15½; Pacific Mail, 92½; Western Union Telegraph Company, 42⅝; Gregory, 3,75; Quartz Hill, 1,45; Corydon, —; Smith & Parmlee, 2,68; W. Am. Express 41¼.

—Closing quotations received by James T. Brady & Co. Gold, 134½; United Sates Sixes, 1881, 117⅜; Five-Twenties, 1862, 121; do. 1864, 116½; do. 1865, 118¼; Ten-Forties, 106½; Five-Twenties, January and July, 1865, 115½; do. do. 1867, —; do. do. 1868, ——; Seven-Thirties, par less, ¼; Due Compounds, 119; Union Pacific Railroad, par; Central do. do., 103; Cy Pacifics, 101¾.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, April 22, 1869.

Money is more active, owing to the heavy calling in of loans. The general rate was 7 per cent. currency, but at the close there were exceptional transactions at coin interest. Reports of another locking up of greenbacks were current, as also that the Broad street combination have gone heavily short of New York Central, Reading, Pacific Mail and other stocks. Sterling steady at 108¼@108½ for prime 60 days. Gold broke this afternoon on telegrams from Washington that the Treasury will sell gold every Thursday until further notice. The prices opened at 134⅝, fell to 133¾, and closed at 133⅝@133¾. Borrowing rates 5-64 to flat, and carrying rate at the close 3 per cent. The Havana steamer took $600,000. Clearances $123,000,000.

Governments opened strong and advanced, but subsequently fell off in sympathy with gold, and closed weak. Coupons '81, 117¼@117½; do. '62, 121@121⅛; do. '64, 116⅛@116¼; do. '65, 118¼@118⅜; do. new, 115@115½; do. '67, 115@115¼; do., '68, 115@115½; 10-40s, 106@106¼; Pacific Sixes, 104¾@105. The shipments on Saturday will be large.

State bonds higher, and active; Missouris, 87½@88; old Tennessee, 69⅞@70; new do., 68¾@69; old North Carolina, 61¼@61¾; new do., 54½@54⅝; old Virginia, 58¾@59; new do., 61½@62; Louisiana Levee 6's, 71@71¼. Stocks opened strong and advanced during the forenoon ½ to 2⅛ per cent. on the entire list. New York Central sold at 168½, on favorable advices from Albany; Rock Island at 139; Northwestern, 84½; do. preferred, 97½; old Southern, 99¼; St. Paul, 78½; do. preferred, 86½; Reading, 96; Pacific Mail, 93¾; Mariposa preferred, 44; Western Union, 43½.

Later, on large sales, the market became heavy, which state of things continued to near the end of the day, the advance of the morning being lost. This movement is attributable to the change of the former bull clique to the bear side and a reported locking up of greenbacks. At the close the market was steady; United States Express pay the first quarterly of 42½ per cent; other companies are said to contemplate no dividends.

5:30 *prices*,—Cumberland, 27@30½; Wells Express, 33@33½; American Express, 40¼@40¾; Adams Express, 60½; United States Express, 66¼@66¾; Merchants Union Express, 15@16; Quicksilver, 22@22¼; Canton, 62¼@63; Pacific Mail 92½@92⅝; Western Union Telegraph, 41¼@41½; Mariposa, 21⅝@22; preferred, 43½ 43⅞; Hartford and Erie, 22@24; New York Central, 167@167½; Erie, 33¾@34; do preferred, 52½@55; Hudson, 148@148¼; Harlem, 141@141½; preferred, 143; Reading, 94¼@95½; Chicago & Alton, 155@155½; do. preferred, 156; Terre Haute, 38@40; do, preferred, 66@67; Wabash, 71@71¼; do. preferred, 77@79; St. Paul, 77½@77¾; do. preferred, 85¼@85½; Fort Wayne, 131⅞@132; Ohio and Mississippi, 33@33¼; Michigan Southern, 98⅝@98¾; Illinois Central, 144@145½; Pittsburgh, 92⅝@92⅞; Lake Shore, 98⅝@98⅞; Rock Island, 137@137½; North Western, 84@84½; do. preferred; 96@96¼; C. C. & I. C., 47½; St. Joseph preferred, 112; Dubuque and Sioux City, 116.

Mining shares lower; Smith & Parmelee, 275; Gregory, 375; Grass Valley, 50. Quartz Hill, 160.

Copper stocks at Boston—Calumet, 40; Copper Falls, 8½; Franklin, 19; Hecla, 77½; Hancock, 4; Minnesota, 2, Quincy, 25.

Receipts of the Sub-Treasury were $624,275: Payments, $892,366; Balance, $89,205,989.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, THURSDAY, April 22, 1869.

The markets are moderately active with a fair volume of business, but trade is by no means active and there is plenty of room for improvement. Usually business is good at this particular season of the year, as country merchants generally lay in summer supplies about this time, but the demand from this source is unusually light, which is owing mainly to the stringency in money matters. We still entertain hopes, however, that with fine weather and good roads, business will yet pick up considerably, and that we will yet have a fair spring and summer trade.

APPLES—Very scarce particularly good qualities in sound condition; may be quoted from $5@7 per bbl.

APPLE BUTTER—90@$1 per gallon.

BUTTER—Continues dull, and prices are barely maintained, 38@40, for prime to choice Roll.

CHEESE—New York Goshen 24@25.

CARBON OIL—Is quoted in a jobbing way at 30@31.

CORNMEAL—$1,75@1,80 per cwt.

DRIED FRUIT—Sales of Peaches at 14@15 for quarters, 16@17 for mixed and 18@20 for halves, as to quality. Apples scarce and may be quoted at 12@14.

EGGS—Market a shade stronger, and with diminished arrivals, prices are a shade better, 17 cts.

FEATHERS—A shade firmer, and we now quote live geese feathers at 80 to the trade, and the usual advance in a retail way.

FLOUR—Is quiet and unchanged. Spring Wheat brands, $6,50@7,25; Winter Wheat, $7,50@8; Rye flour, $7@7,25. Mill prices remain unchanged.

GRAIN—Wheat is dull and nominal at $1,58@1,60 for prime Winter. Oats in limited supply, but the demand is light; we continue to quote at 66@67 on track and wharf and 70@72 for small lots in store. Prime ear Corn is still quoted at 80, while shelled is unchanged at 75@76. There is not enough doing in either Rye or Barley to establish quotations.

HAY—There is a continued fair demand and we quote loose pressed on wharf, at $30@32, mainly at $28@30.

HOMINY—$5,75@6 per bbl.

HEMP—$215@220 per ton.

LARD OIL—Sales No. 1 Extra at $1,52 @1,53. and No. 2 at $1,23@1,25.

MAPLE MOLASSES—Sales in gallon jugs at $1,50@1,75.

PROVISIONS—Are steady with a fair jobbing demand, but prices are unchanged at 14 for Shoulders; 16@16¼ for Ribbed, and 17¾@18 for Clear Sides; and 19¼@19½ for Sugar Cured Hams. Lard is quoted at 19¼@19½, as to quality, and Dried Beef at 29½. Mess Pork $32,00.

POTATOES—Dull; may be quoted at 70 on track, and 75 in store.

PEANUTS—Quoted at 11 cts.

SEEDS—Sales Clover Seed at $9,50@10, and Timothy Seed at $4,50@4,75. No Flax Seed in market.

SALT—May be quoted at $1,80@1,85 by the car load, and $1,95@2 for small lots in store.

WHISKY—Dull and unchanged.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, THURSDAY, April 22, 1869.

The oil market continues firm, though there is next to nothing doing, the volume of business being very light. As we noted in our last report, the market, here, has been placed in such a position that there is no chance to do anything, unless it is to speculate, and money matters are too tight, to do that with any degree of comfort. There must of necessity be a radical change in the position of the trade, here, before business can reasonably be expected to improve, and the sooner the better. Our refiners are completely hedged in, as they cannot run their works except at a loss, and this, of course, they will not do; it is to regretted that so many of our refineries are standing idle, but in the present aspect of affairs it cannot be helped. The future course of the trade, here, hinges mainly on the action of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and the sooner this corporation reduces freight to a point that will enable Pittsburghh to fairly and successfully compete with other points, the better, both for the oil trade here and the company.

CRUDE—The Crude market is quiet but firm, with a limited demand and light offerings. Spot or seller to July, may be fairly quoted at 15@15¼, according to gravity, and we are cogntzant of offers to buy, buyers option till August, at 17½. At Oil City the market was considerably excited to-day, with sales at from $6,25@6,35; $6,30 there is equivalent to a fraction over *sixteen cents here*.

REFINED—Sale 500 bbls Spot at 32½; 500 last half April, at 32½; and 500 buyer until August. at 36. Quotations—April, 32½: May and June, 33¾@34; May to July, 34½; May to August, 35@35½; and June to December, 36.

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Standard Oil Co., 201 bbls refined to to Warden, Frew & Co., Philadelphia.

J. P. Wood 50 bbls tar to Slemmett Bro., Downington Pa.

Total Shipments Refined	634
Total shipments tar	50

OIL SHIPPED EAST FROM DUQUESNE DEPOT.

Duncan & Williams, 51 bbls refined to W. P. Logan & Bro., Philadelphia.

Hutchinson Oil Ref. Co., 338 bbls ref. W. F. & Co., Philadelphia.

Total shipments Refined	389

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Washington Items.

A son of Col. Forney, of the *Chronicle* goes with Gov. Curtin to St. Petersburg, as Secretary of Legation. D. B. Forney, a brother of the Colonel, is a candidate for the Washington postoffice, but it is promised to Robbins if the incumbent is removed.

The President has solved the vexed question—can a negro hold office in Georgia—in a very practical manner, by appointing Edward Belcher, an intelligent mulatto, to the office of Assessor of Internal Revenue for the Third District of that State. Unrepentant rebels may point to their own code and constitution as denying this right as much as they please, so long as there is a practical refutation of their argument under their noses in this effective shape. This practical act does more to solve the question on the right side than all the speeches that have been made in Georgia or in Congress for a twelve month.

An unsuccessful effort was made at the commencement of the executive session to exalt the character of American diplomacy, by requiring from Ministers and Secretaries of Legation at least a knowledge of the language of the courts to which they are respectively accredited. This custom, which is inexorably enforced by all foreign Governments, failed in consequence of the alleged exigencies of party, and the necessity of providing for prominent public men, irrespective of merit or special adaptation for their functions abroad.

The story of a disagreement between Secretary Fish and the President on the Cuban matters is preposterous. Both are agreed that the government cannot interfere, and Senator Sumner takes the same ground. All three hold that it would be impolitic for the Senate to agree to Mr. Bank's Buncombe Cuban independence resolution. If the revolutionists succeed, the administration will act promptly, but its advices are that there is little chance of such a result. Most of the sensation stuff appearing in certain newspapers about the Cuban independence is furnished by Cuban agents here and in New York. They seem to be well supplied with money and are using it freely.

The new organization of the Internal Revenue Bureau, which has been under consideration by the Commissioner and his Assistants, went into effect to-day. No case will be compromised or dismissed except by decision of the Solicitor here, and no Collector, Assessor or District Attorney will be permitted to negotiate on the subject, and compromises will be made only when the evidence shows the absence of intent to defraud. In all other cases the law will be vigorously entorced. Newly appointed officers will be dismissed upon the first evidence of neglect of duty. No subordinate in the bureau here will be allowed to confer with claimants concerning their cases.

Notwithstanding Senator Ross' partial denial of his published account of his impertinence to the President, there are plenty of witnesses to whom he narrated the affair just as it was published. After his vote on the Impeachment gave him the entire control of all Federal offices in Kansas, he used this lever to all the offices in his State, to which he could get access, with his friends or men like himself when they could be found. Since March 4th the President and his Cabinet have been engaged in weeding them out, hence his wrath.

Nearly all the Consuls from Pennsylvania have been appointed without the knowledge or consent of the Senators, and they do not seem to care much whether they are rejected or confirmed. This accounts for the nominations remaining so long in the Committee. Had they been known to the Senators from the State they would have been confirmed long ago. The prospect is that several of them will be rejected.

The Indian ring is at work trying to conciliate the Friends who are here consulting with the President upon Indian affairs, and one of the worst of the Indian agents, who goes by the nickname of "Moccasin Thief," in the Indian country, has succeeded in obtaining the endorsement of prominent Friends to his papers. This is henceforth to be the game of the Indian thieves. They will endeavor to humbug the President through the Quakers.

Mr. Shellabarger's nomination to Portugal gives great satisfaction. His health is broken, and the voyage abroad will help him. He is poor, and could not afford a European trip. He will sail in a few weeks.

There appears to be a good deal of talk both inside and outside administration circles on the Cuban question, and some quiet threats of interference have no doubt been made in a confidential way by those at the head of affairs, but nothing will be done until after we shall have heard what England and France have to say on the subject of American assistance to insurrectionists or "rebels" if you please. If the United States Government can aid the Cuban revolutionists and demand a settlement of the Alabama claims at the same time, it will present to the world the most exalted specimen of impudence ever witnessed in ancient or or modern history.

The Origin of Touching Glasses Before Drinking.

[From the New Orleans Times.]

Surely the custom among men of touching their glasses before drinking the health of a friend, (or on other occasions merely for ceremony's sake,) merits some attention in regard to its ancient origin. Possessing a fondness for antique researches, it affords an infinite pleasure to communicate the why and wherefore of the above mentioned practice.

Several years anterior to the time of Socrates, it was given out that any criminal condemned to die the death, (by having a poisonous drink administered,) was at liberty to consider his life insured, if he could succeed in prevailing upon his friends to share the potion with him, even in such small quantities as might prove innocuous to all; and in order to ascertain precisely the exactness of each one's allowance, they had recourse to the every-day custom of touching glass with glass, measuring in this manner their respective portions, pledging the health and happiness of the thus liberated convict, and rejoicing that they had been made the medium through which his life was saved.

I may safely venture to assert that no two men out of a thousand, if questioned, will be found familiar with this brief episode, notwithstanding the oft-repeated times they resort to its practice in their daily patronage of coffee-houses.

Tallerand's Prophecies—The Military Growth of America Predicted by the French Diplomatist.

A Paris letter in the *Gazette de Lausanne* says:

"You are aware that Prince de Talleyrand left some memoirs, which were not to be published till thirty years after his death, and which are now in the hands of an eminent barrister, M. Audral. I have been able to cast a glance at them, and I am much surprised at their contents. I was especially struck by a page relative to the Congress of Vienna. It is a real prophecy, and I cannot resist the temptation of giving you the substance of it. At that period M. de Tallerand said that the balance of power in Europe founded at that assembly was menaced by great dangers, one from the seas, and the other which might arise in the heart of Germany:

"On the side of America," said the Prince. "Europe must always have her eyes open, and not furnish any pretext for recrimination or reprisals. America is increasing every day. She will become a colossal power, and a moment must arrive when placed in more easy communication with Europe by means of new discoveries, she will wish to say her word in our affairs, and have a hand in them. Political prudence, therefore, imposes on governments of the old continent the care of scrupulously watching that no pretext shall be offered for such an interventiou. The day when Ameriea shall plant her foot in Europe, peace and security will be banished for a long time."

The Prince afterwards speaks of Germany. Here the prediction has no longer the form of a conjecture, but is in some sort an anticipated recital:

"No illusion must be formed; the equilibrium we have founded in the Congress of Vienna is not eternal. It will succumb some day or other, but it promises us some years of peace. What condemns it for a term more or less distant is the aspirations which are becoming universal in the centre of Germany. The necessities of defence and of a common peril have prepared men's minds for German unity; this idea will continue to be developed, and some day one of the great powers which form part of the Conference will desire to realize this union for its own profit. Austria is not to be feared, since she is composed of pieces and morsels, and, having no unity at home, she cannot think of exporting it. Therefore, Prussia it is that must be watched; she will attempt the adventure, and if she succeeds, then all the conditions of equilibrium will be changed, and a new basis and a new organization will be changed, and a new organization will have to be sought for Europe."

The Prince continues to examine the circumstances more or less difficult under which this reconstruction will be effected; and he points out France as the nation most interested in combating the movement for unification, or in seeking a compensation.

A Temperance Error.

Pres. Haven remarks in an article in the *Advocate:*

The cause of temperance won its greatest victories when the sin and danger of rum-drinking were most faithfully exposed, and the most deeply felt by the people. Now, it is the custom of advocates of temperance to lay out their strength in denouncing the seller of rum, and in endeavoring to prevent the sale by the enforcement of law. Practically speaking, the drinker is regarded as an innocent man, the victim of his own appetite, and of the craft, avarice, and malignity of the rum-seller. The rum-seller is the black or yellow bloated poisonous spider; the drinker is the poor innocent, unsuspicious fly, goaded on by an irresistible instinct which his Creator or some other power, has implanted within him.

I have heard many temperance addresses within a few years, but have not been so fortunate as to hear one that exposed fearlessly the crime of getting drunk. The intemperate man has been held up as a victim of appetite, as a weak man, as a good whole-souled fellow, liable to be led astray—wonderful geniuses have been referred to, poets, statesmen, orators, and even clergymen, that have succumbed to the wily arts of the rum-seller—but the positive guilt of swallowing the poison has not once been sharply and powerfully portrayed. Is this right? Is the rumseller any worse than other men who do business for money without regard to the moral effect of their occupation on the community? So far as I have observed, real rumsellers are generally weaker, and therefore less wicked, than rum drinkers. They are usually of a low grade of intellect and moral sense. They are unwilling to dig, ashamed to beg, and have small capital to trade with, and are not troubled with what men call heart or conscience, and sell rum for the same reason that our farmers raise hops—because it will pay. These hop growers are good men; why not not the rumsellers? They do not trouble themselves to look after consequences. They say, "It takes two to make a bargain. Nobody needs to buy unless he wishes to. If he buys he does it of his own free will, and he is responsible for his own acts."

I am not inclined to apologize for this fraternity, but one thing is pretty certain—if there were no rum drinkers there would be few rum sellers. Another thing is about as certain—so long as a large part of the people are not willing to drink, so long in some way or other, they will be able to get liquor. The root of the tree is not selling—it is not manufacturing—it is drinking.

Something for the Spelling School.

Many persons have read, at one time or another, a little anecdote about the late Lord Palmerston, which tells how that jovial nobleman once gave eleven of his associates in the Cabinet a sentence to spell, and how not a single one of the eleven got through it without blundering. The sentence was: "It is disagreeable to witness the embarrassment of a harrassed peddler gauging the symmetry of a peeled potato." There are here several words easy to misspell, but a correspondent sends to the New York *Evening Post* a sentence which he says (on the authority of Lord Robert Cecil) was actually given out to a school in Ipswich, by the side of which the Palmerston test becomes ridiculously easy. It runs thus:

"While hewing yew, Hugh lost his ewe,
and put in the Hue and Cry.
To name its face's dusky hues
Was all the effort he could use.
You brought the ewe back, by and by,
And only begged the hewer's ewer,
Your hands to wash in water pure,
Lest nice-nosed ladies, not a few,
Should cry, on coming near you, 'Ugh!'"

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ap18:d&F H. S. FLEMING.

FOR SHERIFF.
I would respectfully announce to the citizens of Allegheny county that I will be a candidate for the office of SHERIFF, subject to the decision of the next ensuing Union Republican County Convention.
FRANK DUFF,
ap20:h70:DF Ohio Township.

FOR SHERIFF.
JOHN A. WATSON,
Of Elizabeth township, late private Company D, 79th Pa. Vols. will be a candidate for the office of SHERIFF, subject to the decision of the Union Republican Convention. a-20:b73DF

FOR SHERIFF.
WILLIAM A. HERRON,
Will be a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. mh25:g19-d&F

FOR CLERK OF COURTS,
JOHN G. BROWN,
Millvale borough, late private Co. H, 102d Reg't Penna. Vols., subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. ap:6.

TO THE CITIZENS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY: I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the office of CLERK OF COURTS, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. I would state that I ask the office but for ONE TERM, at the termination of which I would cheerfully retire, believing that there are others equally entitled to the honor and emoluments of the office, and as competent as myself. I will be under obligations to the citizens of the county for their support. Very respectfully,
JOSEPH BROWNE,
Late 102d (old 13th,) and 5th Pa. Vol. Regt.
mh23:g47

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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The Sewer Commission of the City of Allegheny are prepared to receive proposals for the construction of the following sewers, with their appurtenances, inlets, manholes, &c.

Contract No. 1.

Comprising about 525 feet of 12 inch circular pipe sewer, on line of Morton alley, between Strawberry alley and Montgomery avenue.

Contract No. 2.

Comprising about 1,160 feet of circular pipe sewer of 15 and 18 inches diameter, on line of Washington and Liberty streets, between North street and Cedar avenue

Drawings and Specifications can be seen and full particulars obtained at the Engineer's office, City Hall. Bids must state the kind of pipes proposed to be used, (cement or vitrified clay pipe,) and must be endorsed "Sewer Proposals, contract No. 1" (or 2 as the case may be,) and delivered on or before 3 P. M., APRIL 28th.

Forms of proposals on which forms alone the bids will be received, will be obtained at the Engineer's office. The Commission do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any bid.

By order of the Commission.
ap21:h77 CHAS. DAVIS, City Engineer.

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Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock M., MAY 5th, addressed to McKEEN, SMITH & Co., Chief Contractors, Terre Haute, Indiana, for the last fifty-seven (57) miles of this road. The work is of the most desirable character, comprising both very heavy and also light work. PAYMENTS, MONTHLY, IN CASH. Profiles can be seen at the office in Terre Haute, after April 26th. J. IMBRIE MILLER,
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TERRE HAUTE, April 16, 1869. ap2:h69

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BY A. LEGGATE.

LOTS, LOTS, LOTS,
AT AUCTION,
ON SATURDAY, APRIL 24,

AT THREE O'CLOCK, a highly attractive auction sale of Building Lots will take place on the property of Mr. Dilhn, on and near the Perrysville road and Observatory grounds, and fronting the residences of Mr. McClintock and Mayor Drum. There are seventeen lots ranging in size from 24 by 31 to 25 by 100 feet. The situation is really delightful, being on gently rising ground, from which very fine views of the adjacent country are obtainable. It is within easy walking distance of the city, and yet free from its smoke and dirt. It is within five minutes' walk of the Pleasant Valley Street Railway.

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Terms of sale—Half cash; balance in one and two years. Call and see plat at office of
ap19 A. LEGGATE, Auct'r.

VALUABLE BUSINESS PROPERTY,
No. 215 Liberty Street,
AT AUCTION.

On FRIDAY, April 23d, at 3 o'clock, will be sold on the premises, the property No. 215 Liberty street, opposite the mouth of Sixth avenue, lately occupied by Graff & Reiter as a Commission House. The lot is 20 by 85 feet. The building is three story, in first rate order, with dry cellar and flag pavement. The store rooms are spacious and well lighted. There are platform sales and hoisting apparatus in perfect order. The location is unexcelled on Liberty street. Special attention is called to the sale, it being apparent that Liberty street is rapidly advancing in commercial value.

TERMS—Half cash; balance in one and two years.
A. LEGGATE, Auctioneer.
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BY A. M'ILWAINE.

12 ACRES, IMPROVED, AND MODERN FRAME DWELLING, IN McCLURE TOWNSHIP, AT ASSIGNEE'S SALE IN BANKRUPTCY.—SATURDAY MORNING, April 24, at 10 A. M., by John H. Bailey, Assignee of William D. Hamilton, a Bankrupt, will be sold at Commercial Sales Rooms, 106 Smithfield street, 11 acres and 20 perches land in McClure township, Allegheny county, Pa., adjoining lands of John S. Hall and Mrs. Hartman, upon which is a modern style frame dwelling of 9 rooms, with stable and other outhouses, with grapes of the best quality and orchard of large and small fruits, the whole under good fence, making a handsome and desirable suburban residence.

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Terms cash; sold free of liens.
ap21 A. McILWAINE, Auct'r.

ASSIGNEE SALE OF MATERIAL AND MANUFACTURED WORK, OF THE FALLSTON WOODEN WARE WORKS.—THURSDAY MORNING, April 29th, at 10 o'clock, by order of W. A. Lewis, Esq., assignee of Bailey & McCandless, will be sold on the premises, at the Fallston Wooden Ware Works of Bailey & McCandless, all the material and manufactured ware, comprising Paints, Oils, Zinc, Whiting, Umber, Ochre, &c., Tub Iron, Bucket Iron, Chains, Ropes, Skiff, and all articles used in the manufacture of Tubs and Buckets. Also, large lot of Staves and Lumber, and a fine lot of finished Keelers and Tubs.

Train leaves Pittsburgh at 7:28 A. M.
ap19 A. McILWAINE, Auctioneer.

REMOVALS.

PEOPLES' SAVINGS BANK.
THE PEOPLES' SAVINGS BANK
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Immediately opposite to its former location, where it will remain until the Safe Deposit Company Building is completed, when the Bank will then be located in that building.

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April 14, 1869. ap17:h74

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CITY AND SUBURBAN.

THE GAZETTE *is furnished in the city the six days of the week for* 15 *cents per week; by mail,* $8 *per annum:* 3 *mos.,* $2.

The Allegheny Mayor's office furnished no case worthy of note yesterday.

The proceedings of the Allegheny Councils, published this morning, will be found unusually interesting.

Committed.—Alderman Mitchell yesterday committed Joseph Myers for trial on a charge of false pretense, preferred against him by Ernest Stieffield.

Surety.—Martha Morgan made information before Justice Barker, yesterday, against David Morgan for surety of the peace. The accused was arrested and committed for trial.

Dismissed.—The case of Dickson against McLellan, for surety of the peace, reported in yesterday's paper, was subsequently dismissed by Alderman Donaldson, the prosecutor failing to appear.

Forestalling.—George Wamkoff, R. Voskamp and J. Simons, grocers on Market street, were arrested yesterday on a charge of forestalling the market, and were each required to pay a fine of five dollars and costs.

Discharged. — William Hutchinson, charged before the Mayor on oath of his wife, Mrs. Hutchinson, with felonious assault and battery, was discharged yesterday, the prosecutrix having failed to appear at the hearing.

Arm Crushed.—Yesterday Mary Helch, an employe in the Hope Cotton Mills, Allegheny, while engaged near a belting, had her arm caught in it and badly crushed. She was attended by Dr. Thos. Mahon. She resides in the Sixth ward, Allegheny.

Drunk and Disorderly.—James Murray made information before Alderman Shore, yesterday, against Matthew and Abby Denovan for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. The accused were arrested, and in default of payment of fine committed to jail.

Assault and Battery.—Kate Rodgers, *alias* Kate Raney, made information before the Mayor, yesterday, charging "Cockey" Ward with assault and battery and disorderly conduct. She alleges that Ward beat her and acted in a very disorderly manner. He was arrested and held for a hearing.

Arrested on a Bail Piece.—Ed. Grier, who was arrested some days ago on a charge of larceny, and entered bail for his appearance at Court, was yesterday arrested on a bail piece, his bail having refused to be responsible for his appearance. He was placed in the lock-up and will probably be committed to jail.

Commission Received.—The Commission of Alexander Murdoch, Esq., of Washington county, as United States Marshal, for the Western District of Pennsylvania, was received yesterday by Judge McCandless. Mr. Murdoch, we learn, will enter upon the discharge of the duties of his office this morning.

The Allegheny Library.—A meeting of the friends of the Allegheny Library Association will be held this evening at the office of the National Insurance Company, corner of Federal street and Diamond, Allegheny. The question to be considered is one involving very materially the future prosperity of the institution, and a large attendance of those interested is urgently requested.

Inquest.—Coroner Clawson held an inquest on the body of Mrs. Regina Bleisbel, who died suddenly in her bed, Wednesday night, from heart disease. She, it appears, occupied a room by herself, and not making her appearance yesterday morning at the usual hour, her husband sent one of the children to see what was detaining her, when she was found dead in her bed. Deceased was a native of Germany and was forty-seven years of age.

Larceny.—On the 13th inst., a pocket book containing forty dollars was stolen from a peddling wagon in South Pittsburgh, and a boy wes arrested on suspicion but was subsequently discharged, their being no evidence to warrant the Mayor in holding him for court. Yesterday Edward Ruckert, the peddler, made information against John Winterstein and James McCluskey, two other boys, charging them with the larceny. Winterstein was arrested and was held for a hearing.

A Night Attack.

Mrs. Lizzie Smith made information before Alderman M'Masters, yesterday, against Patrick M'Dermott for assault and battery, and Patrick and Michael M'Dermott for surety of the peace. The prosecutrix alleges the accused came to her house on Wednesday evening in an intoxicated condition, and after gaining an entrance, Patrick knocked her down and aftewards he and Michael threatened to take her life if information was made against them. One of the accused is the son-in-law of Mrs. Smith, and the difficulty seems to have arisen out of a family misunderstanding. Warrants were issued.

Contracts Awarded.

The following contracts were awarded yesterday by Controller Francis, of Allegheny, by direction of the Street Committee:

Kilbuck street, grading per cubic yard 33c, Jas. Orr, contractor.

Manhattan street, grading her cubic yard 26c, same contractor.

Saw Mill alley, grading per cubic yard 35c, paving per square yard $1,00, James Reno, Contractor.

Western avenue, grading per cubic yard 20c, paving per square yard 95c, paving side walk per square yard 85c, curbing per lineal foot 68c, flag stone crossing per square yard 58c, guard posts $1,50, McNaugher & Co., contractors.

Geo. Howarth is awarded the contract for supplying twenty-four hundred lineal feet of undressed flag stones, at 55c per lineal foot.

Lacock & Hawthorne are awarded the contract for furnishing lamps for the city during the year, at $3,85 per lamp.

Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—The new comedy entitled "School" was presented at the Opera House last night to a very fair audience. Mr. and Watkins take a benefit this evening, when a very attractive bill will be presented.

PITTSBURGH THEATRE.—The entertainment at the "Old Drury" last night was, as usual, an excellent one. To-night Mr. James Taylor, the inimitable comique vocalist, whose engagement at the establishment for two weeks past has been an unusually successful one, will take a farewell benefit, when the house will doubtless be crowded.

MASONIC HALL.—The entertainment at Masonic Hall last night, by Sam. Sharpley's minstrels, was a most excellent one and the house was filled. As this is the last night of the engagement of this excellent troupe in this city, the audience will doubtless be large.

ALLEGHENY COUNCILS.

Regular Semi-Monthly Meeting.

A regular semi-monthly meeting of Allegheny City Councils was held yesterday (Thursday) evening, April 22d, 1869, at 7 o'clock P. M.

Select Council.

Members present—Messrs. Callery, English, Faulkner, Gwinner, Hall, Hartman, Morrison, Patterson, J. C., Patterson, A., Phillips, Riddle, Wettach and President McBrier.

On motion of Mr. Hall the reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

Mr. English presented a petition for the paving of First alley, in the Third ward. Referred to the Street Committee.

Mr. Riddle presented a remonstrance from a large number of citizens protesting against making any change in the City Building that would interfere with the Library. Referred to Committee on City Property.

Mr. Patterson presented a petition from citizens in the Fifth and Sixth wards asking for the passage of an ordinance prohibiting the erection of oil refineries in the city limits, and also preventing the extension of refineries already erected.

Mr. Phillips, a petition for a lamp post. Referred to Gas Committee.

Mr. A. Patterson, a petition for the paving of Fayette street. Referred to Street Committee.

Mr. English presented the opinion of the City Solicitor in reference to the nuisance on South avenue. Referred to the Wharf Committee.

Also an opinion relative to the ordinance relating to disorderly houses, in which he decided that Councils have no authority to pass such an ordinance. Referred to the Police Committee.

CONTROLLER'S REPORT.

Mr. Hall presented the report of the Controller, setting forth the accounts of the several city offices with the city Revenue and filed.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. Hall, from the Committee on Finance, presented the following report:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Finance respectfully report that at a former meeting of the Committee, the City Solicitor reported that the case of J. H Logan vs. the City, for injuries to his wife, &c., had been tried in the District Court and a verdict given in favor of Logan for the sum of $437, and that the case of the same plaintiff and wife against the city was on the list for trial; that he was of the opinion that said cases could be settled for the sum of $1,000 and costs, and that it would probably be for the interest of the city to settle said cases for the terms proposed.

Your Committee, after considering all the circumstances and facts, recommended the Solicitor to make the settlement of said cases, if he could do so, for a sum not exceeding $1,000 and costs. The Solicitor now reports to your Committee that he has settled said cases, on the following terms, viz: $1,000 and costs amounting to $1,112.39. Your Committee, therefore, recommend that said settlement be ratified by the Councils, and offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of the City Solicitor for the sum of $1,112.39 in full for the settlement of the cases of Logan and Logan and wife vs the city of Allegheny, being Nos. 114 and 115 of November term, 1867, of the District Court of Allegheny.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

REPORT OF WATER COMMITTEE.

Mr. Wettach, Chairman of the Committee on Water, presented a report stating that the Committee were compelled to defer action for the present for want of funds, on all petitions for the laying of water pipe referred to them at the last meeting. The report was also accompanied by the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Water Works be, and he is hereby instructed to have six inch water pipe laid along Fulton street from Washington avenue to Franklin street, at an estimated cost of $1,300. Also four inch water pipe on Beaver street from Montgomery to North avenue, at a cost of $450,00.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted.

THE STREET DEPARTMENT.

Mr. Myler, Chairuan of the Committee on Streets, presented the following report:

GENTLEMEN—In the matter of opening and establishing the grade of Ohern street, in the Second ward, the City Engineer has been directed to report profile.

The Committee considered the various propositions of petitioners relating to Market street, and report adversely to granting that portion of prayer of petitioners which refers to a reduction of that street to a uniform width between either of the designated points, for the reason that in the opinion of the Committee the petitions represent only an inconsiderable portion of the people interested. The Committee submit the following resolutions as more likely to meet with the views ot the persons interested:

Resolved, That the Park Commission be requested and authorized to improve a reserved central space of forty feet on Market street where the width of that street is not less than ninety feet.

In the matter of vacating Walker street from Jalappa to Ridge street. Your committee report that they see no force in the arguments of petitioners, and again report adversely to granting their prayer. Your Committee report adversely to changing the name of Webster street from North Common to Stockton avenne, to Sherman avenue, as it is clearly against all sense of propriety and use. The changing of names of well established streets without a very good reason. The attention of your Committee was directed to the narrow width of River avenue, at the point crossed by the present culvert, in the Fourth ward. It is urged that it cannot be remedied unless said culvert is extended to the line of property. Your Committee referred the matter to the City Engineer, with instructions to report what is needed. Ordinances for grading and paving the following streets, &c., and construction of Spring Garden avenue sewer accompany report.

For grading only:

Evans' alley north of Nixon street, Sixth Ward.

Grading and paving:

Market street from Juniata to Locust; Grant alley from north line of Third street, to north line of Kauffman's lot; Carpenter's alley from Pine street to Union alley; Montgomery alley from North alley southwardly.

For paving only:

Blossom alley between Ohara and First street.

For sewering:

Spring Garden avenue.

The report was accepted.

The resolution relative to Market street, in the Fifth Ward, was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Riddle moved that so much of the report as referred to the change of the name of Webster street be referred back to the Committee with instructions to report an ordinance changing the name of the street in accordance with the wishes of the citizens. Adopted.

The ordinances referred in the report were read and passed finally.

Mr. Patterson moved to amend the ordinance authorizing the paving of Market street, so as to extend from Washington avenue to Walnut street. Adopted.

The ordinance, as amended, was adopted.

The ordinance relative to the sewer on White Oak alley was taken up.

Mr. McBrier moved to amend by terminating the sewer at Hemlock street. Adopted.

The ordinance providing for the construction of a sewer on Spring Garden avenue was taken up and discussed at considerable length.

Mr. Hall moved to amend by referring the matter back to the Committee to stipulate how the money for the payment of the cost of the sewer was to be raised.

Mr. J. C. Patterson moved to amend by providing that the cost of construction over the frontage tax be paid in bonds. Adopted.

The vote then recurred on Mr. Hall's amendment, which was adopted.

CITY PROPERTY.

The Chairman of Committee on City Property presented their report, stating that the petition of J. B. McDonald for the lease of a vacant lot in the Fifth ward had been laid over for further consideration.

The report was accompanied by the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to certify a warwant in favor of Robert Finney, Esq., for $300, being in full for policy of insurance on Public Building and Market House to the amount of $30,000 for three years.

Report accepted and resolution adopted.

THE REGISTRY LAW.

Mr. Riddle presented a certified copy of the new Registry law, which was accompanied by an ordinance providing for carrying the law into effect, and appropriating $1,000 for defrayiug the expense of the same.

The ordinance was adopted.

Mr. Faulkner presented the report of the Viewers on Webster street and Taylor avenue.

On motion of Mr. Riddle, the reports were laid over until next meeting.

Mr. Hall presented the following resolution.

Resolved, That the Finance Committee be instructed to report what steps are necessary to comply with the act of the Legislature in regard to the sewerage tax. Adopted.

Mr. Riddle presented the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Committee on City Property be instructed to have shade trees planted around the Market House and City Building, and hitching posts around the same buildings.

Mr. McBrier amended by referring the resolution back to consider the propriety of placing a fence around the square on which the City Building stands. Adopted.

Mr. Riddle presented a resolution raising a special Committee to take into consideration the propriety of improving the Third ward square. Adopted.

Council adjourned.

Common Council

Assembled at eight o'clock; President Slack in the chair.

Members present—Messrs. Blair, Comly, Gilliland, Grenet, Hanna, Hastings, Kirkpatrick, Krebbs, Kopp, Long, Megraw, McNeil, Ober, Porter, Reineman, Seidle, Tate, Thompson, Voegtly, Warner and President Slack.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS, RESOLUTIONS, ETC.

Mr. Kirkpatrick presented a petition from property holders on Jefferson street asking for the paving of the same. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Mr. Hastings, a petition from citizens residing on Third alley, Third ward, asking for an extension of water facilities, Referred to Water Committee.

Mr. Reineman, a petition for opening of Troy alley from Union to Canal streets. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Mr. Warner, petition for water pipe on Preble street, Sixth ward, between Franklin and Washington streets. Referred to Water Committee.

Mr. Long, petition for sewer on Lincoln avenue, from Allegheny to Grant avenues, First ward. Referred to Committee on Streets and Sewers.

RESIGNATION OF JAMES HUNTER.

Mr. Tate offered the resignation of Jas. Hunter, Weighmaster of the Second ward scales. The resignation was accepted.

REMONSTRANCES, PETITIONS, &C.

Mr. Krebbs, remonstrance against grading and paving Gerst alley, Third ward.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Mr. Long offered a resolution instructing the Committee on Wharves and Landings to have the swamp in front of South avenue, First ward, properly drained. Referred to Committee on Wharves and Landings.

Mr. Long, a resolution instructing the Committee on Ordinance, in conjunction with the City Solicitor, to investigate and report on the expediency of requiring the railroad companies passing through the city to erect gates or proper guards at the street crossings used by them for the better protection of life and limb. Adopted.

Mr. Tate, an ordinance relative to the tapping of public sewers throughout the city. Referred to the Committee on Wharves and Landings.

THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Mr. Megraw, Chairman of the Committee on Fire Engines, presented the following report:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Fire Engines would respectfully report that they have been considerably exercised of late by the unreliable, or apparently unreliable, working of the Fire Alarm Telegraph. Several tests had been made by the Committee, all of which were of an unsatisfactory character, and, as if to add to the already discouraging state of affairs, false alarms were repeatedly given. The Committee being anxious to have the efficiency of the alarm tested, communicated with Messrs. Kennard & Co., requesting them to send some competent person here to put the line in order. That firm responded by sending Mr. Rogers, who has, since his arrival, been engaged in investigating and setting things to right. It is but just to mention that the report of Mr. Rogers' shows the line to have been in pretty good order, and with the exception of two or three boxes, in very good order. The bad working of it is accounted for for by the fact that it had been subjected to a systematic or rather continued tampering, a fact which has been abundantly demonstrated by the admission of the guilty parties, two of whom were paid employes of the city, viz: John Hunter, driver of the Friendship Hose Company, and James Hunter, weighmaster of the Second ward scales. Mr. Rogers bears ample testimony to the efficiency of our present Superintendent of the Fire Alarm Telegraph, Mr. McCandless, as in every way competent to take care of the line, and keep it in good condition. Your Committee expect to report at the next meeting of Councils that the entire line, with the change of locks upon the boxes and the placing of a new repeater in the City Building, will be in the best possible shape and secure against every emergency. Your Committee had another and a serious matter before them, growing out of the arrest and conviction of the President and Foreman of the Friendship Hose Company of tampering with the alarm telegraph, already incidentally referred to in this report. Heretofore your Committee regarded the Friendship Company as one of the most reliable and efficient companies in the Department, and yet your committee are free to admit that the great bulk of that company are good enough, but have been overawed and thrown into a state of mutiny by following the counsellings of the rowdy element in the organization, led on by a few bad men, who by their own admissions were guilty of all that was charged against them. The Company, we are sorry to say, had openly arrayed themselves in defiance of the law, at least two days before the meeting of your Committee, refusing to do service, leaving no alternative to the Committee than to take charge of the house and institute such measures as in their opinion would best subserve the interests of the city and citizens in that section, supposed to be protected by this organization. The Committee held a meeting to consider the matter on Monday night last, and after hearing all the facts, concluded that the best course was to disband the organization and effect a new one, in the meantime to close the house and remove the horse and apparatus to the Ellsworth house. After this plan was agreed upon, your committee visited the Friendship house and found the state of affairs anything but flattering. The hose, reel and all the equipments of the Company, including gum coats, belts and hats, together with furnishments were spirited away leaving nothing behind but the old hose reel, horse, and bedding, everything being in a high state of confusion. As a palliation, or excuse for this high-handed villiany, it is alleged for their benefit, that it was not the property of the city, and therefore they could do as they pleased with it. Be, this as it may, your Committee are not satisfied with that view of the case, and propose to test the law whether a few disaffected persons can destroy the efficiency of an organization and jeopardize the interests of citizens by removing property, the money to secure which was furnished by the citizens at large, probably not a single cent contributed by those leading in the present hostility to the city.

Your Committee report the following resolutions touching both matters referred to in the report:

Resolved, By the Select and Common Council of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same, that the previous bad working of the Fre Alarm Telegraph is not attributable to any defective working of the machinery of the line, but it is solely and entirely due to the systematic tampering therewith.

Resolved further, The thanks of Councils are due, and are hereby extended to the firm of Messrs. Gamewell & Kennard for their prompt response in sending Mr. Rogers here to adjust and put the telegraph in order.

Resolved, That Mr. McCandless, our present Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph, is entitled to our confidence, and we regard him as in every way competent to discharge the duties pertaining to his department.

The report was received and the resolutions adopted.

NEW GAS POSTS.

Mr. Tate, from the Committee on Gas, presented a report, accompanied by the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Superintendent of the Water Works be and he is hereby instructed to have lamps and posts placed as follows: Corner of Rose alley and Federal street, the same to be attached to the building; on Sheffield street corner of Fulton, and half way between Fulton and Manhattan streets; corner of Grant and North avenues; corner of Robinson street and Bell's alley, to be attached to building.

Report received and resolution adopted.

Mr. Hastings offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the President and officers of the Allegheny Library be, and they are hereby notified to procure another place for the accommodation of said Library, and vacate the City Building January 1st, 1868.

After some discussion, the resolution was laid on the table.

In all business not otherwise noted, S. C. concurred.

On motion, adjourned.

Joint Session.

Councils met in joint session in the Common Council chamber for the purpose of electing a City Controller, in place of Mr. Francis, resigned, and a Weighmaster for the Second ward scales in place of Mr. Hunter, resigned.

President Slack of the Common banch presided.

Nominations for City Controller being in order, Mr. McNeill nominated Wm. M. Porter, of the Fourth ward. On motion, nominations closed, and Mr. Porter was unanimously elected.

Nominations for Weighmaster were next proceeded with. Mr. McNeill nominated R. T. White, of the Sixth ward. On motion, nominations closed, and Mr. White was elected by acclamation.

The joint session then adjourned.

A Mean "Cuss."

We have seen and heard of mean men and chronicled several very mean transactions, but an incident occurred yesterday which, for genuine meanness, exceeds anything within our experience, and the detestible scamp who was engaged in it is, to say the best of him, a dirty, mean "cuss." The facts are as follows: A poor woman, residing some distance from the city on the south side of the river, having collected together quite a large basket full of eggs, started to bring them to market yesterday morning, and having a small child, and no one with whom to leave it, was necessarily compelled to bring it with her. The basket of eggs was of itself a heavy load, but in addition to this the poor woman had to carry her child, which was too small to walk. She, however, succeeded in carrying both child and basket as far as Birmingham, and there she met a fellow driving an express wagon, whom she engaged to haul her basket to the city. The fellow took the basket of eggs in his wagon and started and the woman followed as fast as she could with the child. She kept in sight of the wagon until it arrived at the north end of the Monongahela Suspension Bridge, when the thieving scamp whipped his horse into a fast gait and disappeared, taking the eggs with him. The poor woman finding that she had been victimized, made her case known to a gentleman whose kindness under such circumstances is proverbial, and he spent the greater part of the morning in endeavoring to find the mean scoundrel, but the description given by the woman was so indefinite as to render the task a hopeless one. He came with her to the Mayor's office and made the matter known, but it is not probable that the contemptible scoundrel will be arrested.

Monongahela Valley Railroad.

The Board of Directors of the Monongahela Valley Railroad Company held a special meeting, yesterday, at the office of the President, Capt. T. W. Briggs. The meeting commenced at ten o'clock A. M., and continued throughout the greater part of the day, with the exception of a two hours' recess from noon till 2 P. M.

The resignations of two of the old Directors were accepted, and Messrs. Joseph Walton and Frank Jones elected to fill the vacancies.

Engineer Leow presented an elaborate and carefully prepared report of the result of his operations in surveying a direct route from the Panhandle Railroad Bridge, in South Pittsburgh, to Williamsburgh, a distance of two and six-tenths miles, and a lateral route from Wiliamsburgh up Beck's Run into the coal regions, a distance of two and six-tenths miles. The estimated cost of constructing that portion of the proposed road to Williamsburgh was $72,000. This, however, will, it is stated, be by far the most expensive portion of the road. In other places, five or ten miles can be built for the same money.

After an examination of these plans they were laid over for the present, and the Engineer instructed to proceed as soon as practicable with a survey of the entire route proposed from South Pittsburgh along the margin of the river to Brownsville.

It was reported that the borough of Birmingham would grant the right of way to the road on Manor street; as requested, free of charge. No definite action had been taken in the matter in East Birmingham, but it was generally conceded that the right of way would be granted on the same conditions accepted by Birmingham.

The remainder of the time was spent in discussing matters pertaining to the interests of the Company, which are, however; not sufficiently matured to be made public at present.

The meeting adjourned to reconvene at the call of the President.

Ladies' Spring and Summer Suits.

There is one feature of the stock which Messrs. Bates & Bell have now on hand at their store, 21 Fifth avenue, that merits special attention, and is generally and deservedly admired by the ladies. We refer to the large and varied assortment of black silk, poplin, linen and alpaca walking dresses, and we feel warranted in stating that it is one of the most attractive ever exhibited in this city. It comprises ready made suits in all the late French styles and designs which are, perhaps, far superior to any we can produce in Pittsburgh, in regard to accuracy of fit and general gracefulness. The silks are very beautiful, and with their different shapes and trimmings, present a charming variety to the purchaser. The poplin suits represent every shade of color, and are all neat and tasteful. They range in price from $22,00 upwards and are in great demand. In a notice, yesterday, we referred to the handsome linen seaside suits, and to-day we have only to repeat that nothing at once so cheap and so well adapted to summer wear has been offered here for many seasons. They are complete in every respect, and yet sell so low as $18,00. In the line of alpacas there is a display of almost equally attractive suits. Of the various imported goods we have mentioned, Messrs. Bates & Bell have large assortments, ready made-up and fit for immediate wear. They represent all that is fashionable or fresh in Paris or the East, and are finer than can be produced here. Those, however, who desire to leave orders for suits will have a choice and extensive lot of fabrics to select from and some of our best home *modistes* who are in the service of the firm to prepare them. We will close by noting that in the cloak room, yesterday, we were shown no less than thirty different styles of black silk manties, cloaks and sacques, each one apparently outstripping the others in elegance and richness, as they were successively exhibited. They ranged in price from $10,00 to $65,00, and are chiefly imported from the leading European houses. There is one new style among them, the sleveless basque, which is particularly noticeable for its novelty and beauty. Ladies know where to go for goods of this character.

The National Insurance Company.

This sterling Company has changed its quarters, and now occupies a handsomely fitted up and commodious office on the second floor of the Second National Bank building, on the southeast corner of the Diamond and Federal streets, Allegheny. The "National" has become so well known throughout the community, that it seems almost superfluous to say anything particular in its commendation. Organized by business men, known everywhere for energy, tact, integrity and business qualifications; the institution would have been a strange anomaly indeed had it not proved successful. That it has succeded, and now ranks among the soundest and most reliable companions in the State, is not to be wondered at, but it affords an additional proof that an enterprise of its character, when properly managed, is sure to prosper. In addition, however, to being well managed, the National possesses another great advantage in being a home institution, an advantage which is too well appreciated by every careful insurer to need comment. These have been elements of past success, and upon these reliance is placed for future prosperity.

Arrangements have been made to accommodate the wants of all patrons hereafter, and we can assure those interested that no company can excel the National in the inducements offered. The affable Secretary, Mr. James E. Stevenson, presides in the office, and will be found a gentleman with whom it is a pleasure to transact business. The following are the Directors of the Company: John A. Myler, Jas. L. Graham, Jno. Brown, Jr., O. H. P. Williams, Jas. Lockhart, Robert Lea, George Gerst, Jno. Thompson, Jos. Myers, C. C. Boyle, Jacob Kopp, J. McNaugher.

New Banking Institution.

The rapid extension and increasing volume of business along Fifth Avenue, (late Peunsylvania) has been such as to make the want of a Banking Institution in that quarter of the city a felt necessity. A number of the more prominent and influential business men having their stores, factories and offices on the Avenue, beyond the court house, held a preliminary meeting on Tuesday last, at which the project of a Bank was fully and favorably discussed, and committees were formed to prepare for a complete organization of a Bank. These committees will report to an adjourned meeting, to be held on Tuesday next, over Whiteham's store, corner of Pride street and Fifth (Pennsylvania,) Avenue, when and where books for stock subscriptions will be opened. The stock will doubtless be promptly subscribed, as the plan is such that a small first payment, followed by weekly instalments, will enable men of all classes, poor and rich, to share in the building up, and in the future advantages and profits of the Bank. We predict the complete success of this timely and necessary enterprise.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed of record before H. Snively, Esq., Recorder April 22, 1869:

Jas. A. Layng to Wm. Mullins, April 5, 1869: the individual one-fourth part of a lot on Ewalt street, in th 17th ward, Pittsburgh, 132 by 25+ feet.....$3,250

Elizabeth F. Denny to W. H. Douglass, April 16, 1869; lots No. 35 and 36, block 4, 2d ward, Allegheny, on North avenue, 40 by 100 feet....$2,700

Joseph B. Copeland, et al, to James Calhoun, April 17, 1869; two lots on Brown street, plan of Buena Vista, Elizabath township, 114 by 120 feet.....$75

Robert Finney to James Calhoun, March 13, 1869; lot on the State Road, McKeesport, 30 by 75 feet.....$1,600

Rachael Simpson to Robert Young, April 19, 1869; lot on Smallman street, 12th ward, Pittsburgh, 24 by 120 feet.....$2,200

J. E. Warner to Mrs. Ellen D. Cass, April 1, 1869; lot in Ohio township, 40 by 100 feet.....$100

Geo. C. Rees to E. Brecht, Dec. 21, 1867; lot on Colwell street, 7th ward, Pittsburgh, 40 by 90 feet.....$6,000

John M. Speicher to Robt. Douds, April 14, 1869; lot in Harrison township, 40 by 60 feet.....$500

Wm. Carson, et al, to the School Directors of McClure township April 22, 1869; lot in McClure township, 80 by 125 feet.....$1,300

MORTGAGES.

Same day eight mortgages were filed for record.

Marvin's Superior

Lemon Biscuit,
Sugar Biscuit,
Ginger Snaps,
Spiced Jumbles,

Are for sale by all grocers at retail, cheaper, and of better quality, than people can make at home. Bakery No. 91 Liberty street. fmw:2w

Great Auction Sale Adjourned, till Saturday at 9½ A. M., of Macrum & Carlisle's stock, at 29 Fifth avenue, at which time we will commence a closing out sale of what stock remains. This sale will continue for only four days, by which time the stock must be sold. Every article put up will be sold regardless of cost. Great bargains may be had. H. B. Smithson & Co.

Sale To-day of Liberty Sreet Property.—That valuable business house, No. 215 Liberty street, is to be sold at three o'clock this afternoon. In view of the prospective business advantages of Liberty street this sale should command especial attention. See advertisement by A. Leggate, auctioneer.

If you wish to secure a lot for a pleasant home, attend the sale of lots to-morrow, (Saturday,) at 3 o'clock, on the Dilm property, near the Observatory, Perrysville road. These lots are finely situated, near to the city, and in a good, desirable neighborhood. If you have any idea of buying a lot, do not fail to attend this sale. A. Leggate, Auctioneer.

Get a good sett of queensware when you are purchasing, and you will never regret it. Our ware is equal to French china in beauty, and in fineness it is unequaled. BEGGS & MCGRAW,
No. 16 Diamond, Allegheny.

The place to get White Lime, Calcined Plaster, Hydraulic Cement, is at Ecker & Caskey's, 13 Smithfield street

Hoop Skirts and Corsets, closing out at very low prices. No. 52 St. Clair street. J. M. Burchfield & Co.

Remnants of dress goods, silks and poplins and wool goods, cheap at J. M. Burchfield & Co.'s.

Printed P. K's, worth one dollar, closing out at 50 cents. J. M. Burchfield & Co., No. 52 St. Clair street.

MARRIED.

ALLEN—DUNN—On Wednesday, April 21st, at the residence of Capt. J. T. Stockdale, Allegheny, by Rev. Chas. Dickey, W. D. ALLEN, of Philadelphia, and Miss HATTIE E. DUNN, of Allegheny City.

EVANS—BENTRIGHT—On Thursday, April 22d, 1869, by the Rev. Wm. M. Zonny, Mr. BENJAMIN F. EVANS, of Cincinnati, Ohio, to Miss HALLIE C. BENTRIGHT, of Allegheny.

RAMSEY—RALSTON—On Thursday, April 22d, 1869, at the residence of the bride's father, Freeport, Pa., by Rev. R. Morrow, Mr WM. M. RAMSEY, of Pittsburgh, Pa., to Miss ELLA RALSTON.

DIED:

SHEDDEN—April 21, MARY B., daughter of John and Hannah Shedden, in the fourteenth year of her age.

The funeral will take place from the residence of her father, in Union township, on FRIDAY, the 23d, at 2 o'clock P. M.

UNDERTAKERS.

ALEX. AIKEN, UNDERTAKER, No. 166 FOURTH STREET, Pittsburgh, Pa. COFFINS of all kinds, CRAPES, GLOVES, and every description of Funeral Furnishing Goods furnished. Rooms open day and night. Hearse and Carriages furnished.
REFERENCES—Rev. David Kerr, D.D., Rev. M. W. Jacobus, D. D., Thomas Ewing, Esq., Jacob H Miller, Esq.

CHARLES & PEEBLES, UNDERTAKERS AND LIVERY STABLES, corner of SANDUSKY STREET AND CHURCH AVENUE, Allegheny City, where their COFFIN ROOMS are constantly supplied with real and imitation Rosewood, Mahogany and Walnut Coffins, at prices varying from $4 to $100. Bodies prepared for interment. Hearses and Carriages furnished; also, all kinds of Mourning Goods, if required. Office open at all hours, day and night.

ROBT. T. ROONEY, UNDERTAKER AND EMBALMER, No. 45 OHIO STREET, Allegheny, keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of ready-made Coffins of the following kinds: First, the celebrated American Burial Cases, Metallic Self-sealing Air-tight Cases and Caskets, and Rosewood, Walnut and Rosewood Imitation Coffins. Walnut Coffins from $25 upwards. Rosewood Imitation Coffins from $5 upwards, and no pains will be spared to give entire satisfaction. Crape and Gloves furnished free of charge. Best Hearses and Carriages furnished on short notice. Carriages furnished to funerals at $4

W. G. DUNSEATH,

Jeweler and Optician,

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